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THE WIRE
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FAMILY'S HALL
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LOOSE
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THINKINGDID YOU EVER ROLL
OFF OF A LOG?Want it the easiest thing in the world?
What is easier—because there's no job?
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HARDING SELECTS
EDWIN DENBY FOR
NAVY PORTFOLIO;
LIST COMPLETEDesignation of Former De-
troit Congressman, En-
listed Man in Two Wars, Is
Surprise, His Name Not
Having Been Mentioned
Previously.HOOVER IN COMMERCE
POST; DAVIS, LABORPresident-Elect Declares
Country Will Be Proud of
Selections—Pays Tribute
to Daugherty, Who Says
No One Could Refuse to
Serve.By the Associated Press.
ST. AUGUSTINE, Fla., Feb. 22.—
President-elect Harding completed
his Cabinet slate today by virtual
selection of Edwin Denby of De-
troit, Mich., as Secretary of the
Navy.The choice was the first big sur-
prise among the Cabinet selections,
Denby's name never having appeared
in newspaper speculation about the
Cabinet. He is an attorney and a
former member of Congress and has
served as an enlisted man in two
wars in both the navy and marine
corps.He understood a formal tender
and acceptance are yet to be ex-
changed, but Denby is regarded by
those close to Mr. Harding as virtu-
ally certain to take the place.There were also growing indica-
tions today that the virtual selec-
tion of Herbert Hoover of Califor-
nia to be Secretary of Commerce,
and James J. Davis of Pennsylvania,
the Secretary of Labor, soon would
be definitely fixed, putting the com-
plete Cabinet in its final form.Enlisted Man in Two Wars.
Denby, who was drawn into the
military situation as a dark horse
when former Gov. Frank O. Lowden
of Illinois, declined to be considered
for the navy portfolio, is 50 years
old, and has an intimate knowledge
of the Eastern affairs in addition
to his naval experience. He was
in China in 1915 with his father,
who served there as an American
Minister and later he spent 10 years
in the Chinese maritime customs
service.Returning to the United States
in 1917, Denby served as a gunner's
mate in the American navy during
the war with Spain, and at the age
of 47 was a Sergeant in the marine
corps during the world war. He
was a representative in the Fifty-
ninth, Sixtieth and Sixty-first Con-
gresses, making a particular study
of naval affairs as a member of the
Naval Committee.A tentative offer of the portfolio
of commerce is understood to have
been made to Hoover, and the general
expectation here is that the for-
mer Food Administrator will ac-
cept.Davis, a former steel worker and
now a banker, is to be Secretary of
Labor. If the Cabinet slate goes
through as it now stands.Meanwhile, it became known that
all of the seven Cabinet selections
previously regarded as virtually cer-
tain had been finally put into the
chain of certainties. Two of these,
Charles E. Hughes of New York, for
Secretary of State, and Harry M.
Daugherty of Ohio, for Attorney-
General, have been announced by
Mr. Harding himself. The others are:
Will H. Hays of Indiana, for
Postmaster-General.John W. Weeks of Massachu-
setts, Secretary of War.
Andrew Mellon of Pennsylv-
ania, Secretary of the Treas-
ury.Henry Wallace of Iowa, Sec-
retary of Agriculture.
A. B. Fall of New Mexico, Sec-
retary of the Interior.Daugherty Attorney-General.
The President-elect yesterday an-
nounced definitely his decision to
appoint Harry M. Daugherty of Ohio
to the Attorney-Generalship and at
the same time laid down in pointed
language the public and political con-
sideration on which he is building
his Cabinet.In making the announcement, the
President-elect paid tribute to
Daugherty, who was his campaign
manager, as a splendid man, who
will make a great Attorney-General,
and added that opposition had only
strengthened his faith in the wis-
dom of the appointment. Later
Daugherty issued a brief statement
from Harding headquarters, saying
that no one could refuse to serve
under the circumstances.Speaking of the Cabinet generally,
Mr. Harding declared three broad
principles were guiding his selec-

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Harding Is Proud
of His Republican
Cabinet, He SaysST. AUGUSTINE, Fla., Feb. 22.—
Special to the Post-Dispatch.
SPEAKING on the method of
selecting a Cabinet, and his
Cabinet in particular, Presi-
dent-elect Harding said yester-
day:"I want, and the country ex-
pects me to have, a Republican
Cabinet, and I am going to have
one and shall be proud of it."
"I wish you would put that in
black type in a box, as we do
in the business."The Harding Cabinet virtually
has been decided on as follows:
Charles E. Hughes of New
York, Secretary of State.
Andrew Mellon of Pennsylvania,
Secretary of the Treasury.
John W. Weeks of Massachu-
setts, Secretary of War.
Edwin Denby of Michigan, Sec-
retary of the Navy.
Harry M. Daugherty of Ohio,
Attorney-General.
Will H. Hays of Indiana, Post-
master-General.
A. B. Fall of New Mexico, Sec-
retary of the Interior.
Henry Wallace of Iowa, Sec-
retary of Agriculture.
Herbert Hoover of California,
Secretary of Commerce.
James J. Davis of Pennsylv-
ania, Secretary of Labor.CONFEREES AGREE ON
IMMIGRATION BILLSenate Measure Limits the Ar-
rivals of Aliens During the
Next Year.By the Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, Feb. 22.—Sen-
ate and House conferees agreed today
on the Senate bill limiting admission
of aliens during the 15 months be-
ginning next April 1 to 3 per cent of
the number in the United States at
the time the 1910 census was taken.
At the instance of Senators and
Representatives from the Pacific
Coast the conferees agreed to strike
out the section of the Senate bill
specifying that the act should "not
be construed as amending, repealing
or modifying any laws or agreement
now existing which forbids the ad-
mission of any alien of any nation-
ality or by geographical bounda-
ries."This section was designed to pre-
vent any conflict with State Depart-
ment officials controlling immigra-
tion from Japan and China by treaty
of agreement. As approved by
the conferees, the section was re-
worded to read: "The provisions of this
act are in addition to, and not in sub-
stitution for the provisions of the
immigration laws." Thus existing
laws are not affected and reference
to the agreements with Japan and
China is omitted.PUBLIC BUILDINGS ARE
CLOSED FOR HOLIDAYCourts, Schools, Exchange, Federal
and City Offices Observe Wash-
ington's Birthday.Washington's Birthday is being
observed in St. Louis today by the
closing of Federal, State and City
Courts and offices, grain and stock
exchanges, the Chamber of Com-
merce and several business houses
and offices. Public schools are
closed. The day is set down as a
holiday in parochial schools, many
of which, however, assembled the
pupils for Lenten devotions.
Street cars are carrying the Ameri-
can flag and many citizens are
displaying the national colors in
compliance with a request of the
St. Louis Chapter, Sons of the Revolu-
tion. There were two deliveries
of mail in the business section dur-
ing the morning and one in the res-
idential district.The Missouri Society of the Sons
of the Revolution is holding its an-
nual meeting at Hotel Statler. A
banquet, to which Daughters of the
American Revolution, Colonial Dames
and Daughters of 1812 have been
invited, will be held tonight.In East St. Louis, banks, schools,
State, Federal and municipal offices
are closed.JUDGE TRIED FOR MURDER
IS ASKED TO LEAVE BENCHCleveland Bar Association Calls
Upon Ohio Chief of Municipal
Court to Resign.By the Associated Press.
CLEVELAND, Feb. 22.—A reso-
lution calling on Judge William H.
McGannon, recently acquitted by a
jury of the murder of Harold C.
Kagy, to resign as Chief Justice of
the Municipal Court, was adopted
by the executive committee of the
Cleveland Bar Association late yester-
day.Other resolutions adopted author-
ized John J. Sullivan, president of the
association, to appoint a special
committee to raise funds to defray
the cost of an independent investi-
gation of Kagy's death, and request
the county Prosecuting Attorney to
lay before the grand jury all avail-
able evidence relative to the com-
mission of alleged perjury in the
three Kagy murder trials.PALMER ORDERS
ACTION AGAINST
LUMBER DEALERSAntitrust Proceedings to Be
Instituted Against Southern
Pine Association and 50
Member Companies.70 INDIVIDUALS ALSO
INCLUDED IN CASEConspiracy to Increase Price
of Yellow Pine by Curtail-
ing Production in Six
States Is Alleged.United States District Attorney
Carroll has been directed by At-
torney-General Palmer to institute pro-
ceedings in the Federal court here
against the Southern Pine Associa-
tion, about 50 of its principal mem-
ber companies and 70 individuals, on
the ground that they have entered
into a conspiracy to curtail the pro-
duction and increase the price of
yellow pine lumber, in violation of
the Sherman antitrust act.Carroll said that he expected to
receive definite instructions today
regarding the manner in which he
is to proceed, and that probably the
first step will be an application to-
morrow for a temporary injunction
restraining those against whom the
proceedings will be directed from
further participation in what the
Government alleges to be a conspir-
acy by curtailing production in Ar-
kansas, Oklahoma, Texas, Louisiana,
Mississippi and Alabama, and in any
agreement to control prices.Action Based on Inquiry.
The action is based on investiga-
tion made by the Federal Trade
Commission regarding alleged activi-
ties of the Southern Pine Associa-
tion in maintaining high prices for
yellow pine lumber, a report of
which he has been reviewed by the
Senate Committee on Housing and Re-
construction.The commission charges that in
1919 the association has its head-
quarters in New Orleans, and
endeavored to comply with requests of
the Federal Industrial Board to re-
duce prices, saying concerted action
was taken to prevent this. It charged
that the association had conspired
to raise prices in April, 1919, and
during the same period, the commis-
sion alleges, the firm manufacturers
of the Pacific Coast "concocted" a
scheme to raise prices in April, 1919,
and the Southern Pine Association
had conducted a campaign to in-
duce them to do so.The commission also alleged that
this gave the Southern Pine Associa-
tion opportunity to raise prices, and
was followed by rapid advances
in the price of fir and all other
competitive woods.Misleading of Public Alleged.
The Southern pine manufacturer's
report, "are prominent in a cam-
paign now being organized to induce
the public to believe that prices will
not and cannot be further reduced,
owing to the cost of production, and
that they should not further delay
any contemplated building operations."H. C. Berokes, assistant secretary
of the association, has denied that
the price of Southern pine lumber is
subject to artificial influences im-
posed by the association.On Jan. 10 last it was announced
in the Houston by the Federal Trade
Commission that four days before
the expiration, Dec. 22, 1915, of the
maximum prices on lumber fixed by
the War Industries Board, the
Southern Pine Association met in St.
Louis. The day after the meeting,
according to the report, a repre-
sentative of the Edward Hines Lum-
ber Co., of Chicago, wrote to Hines
that all in attendance at the meet-
ing expected to advance their prices
on a certain date, the proposed ad-
vances running from \$1 to \$3 on
all items with the exception of tim-
ber.AMBASSADOR GEDDES DETAINED
SEVERAL HOURS AT QUARANTINEHealth Officials Find 50 Vermin-
Infected Polish Immigrants on
Board Aquitania.By the Associated Press.
NEW YORK, Feb. 22.—Sir Auch-
land Geddes, British Ambassador,
returning to his post at Washington
after an official visit to London, was
detained for several hours today on
board the steamer Aquitania at
Quarantine while health officials
were making their routine search for
typhus suspects, in which they found
50 vermin-infected Polish immi-
grants.Automobiles were waiting at the
Battery to convey Sir Auchland and
his party to the Pennsylvania Sta-
tion. The coast guard cutter Man-
hattan lay near the Aquitania and
took off the Ambassador. At
11 o'clock the first cabin passengers
were released.PRESIDENT SAYS
HE WILL WORK TO
LAST FOR PEACEAddresses Delegation From
Woodrow Wilson Club of
Harvard Which Calls at
White House.SAYS HIS WRITING
WILL BE IMPERSONALDeeply Moved by Tribute—
Mrs. Wilson Declares She
Would Like to Make a
Speech, Too.By the Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, Feb. 22.—Presi-
dent Wilson, in an address today to
a delegation from the Woodrow Wilson
Club of Harvard University, which
he received at the White
House, declared he would bend his
efforts to the last in supporting the
cause of world peace.The delegation had come to pre-
sent to the President, a written ap-
preciation of his services as Presi-
dent and of his efforts toward world
peace.Robert C. Stuart Jr. of Houston,
Tex., who headed the delegation, told
the President that the club was
organized on the second anniversary
of the signing of the armistice, and
that besides endeavoring to perpetu-
ate his peace mission, it planned to
collect historical manuscripts con-
cerning his administration and his
activities at the peace conference to
be placed in the Harvard University
library.Writing to Be Impersonal.
In the group were six Harvard un-
dergraduates whom the President re-
ceived the company of Mrs. Wilson
in his study.Mr. Wilson told the delegation that
he would leave to historians the task
of interpreting the events of the
past, and that he would devote his
time to the future. He said he would
not write, but would leave his writing
to be impersonal.The President shook hands with
each of the members of the delega-
tion and chatted with them inform-
ally after his formal acknowledgment
of their tribute. He declared he
was deeply moved by the evi-
dence that they brought to him
that the cause of world peace
principles for which he had
fought had been espoused by a new
generation of Americans.The President was said to have
specifically requested the delegation
to deposit the history of the Paris
peace conference. He explained that if
he should write such a history it would
be impossible for the reader to dis-
count the personal equation and that
he preferred for this reason to leave
the task to others.The President received the delega-
tion in his study, seated behind his
desk, and shook hands with each of
the six, apologizing for not rising and
in turn presented the visitors to Mrs.
Wilson.Speaks With Fluency and Wit.
During his remarks the President
removed his glasses several times
and finally laid them down upon
the desk. The college men said he
spoke in a clear, well-modulated
voice and with a fluency and wit
which was afterward particularly re-
marked upon by the visitors.The President was said to have
been deeply touched by the devotion
of the delegation to the peace cause
and when it was concluded she
escorted the delegation to the door.
After thanking them for their visit,
she said: "The President was deeply
touched by your mission and your
message."A statement made by several
members of the delegation after
their departure was that they were
"deeply impressed with the President's
faith in the ultimate accomplishment
of his efforts toward peace and by
the almost buoyant good humor with
which he is leaving the White
House."RAIN AND COLDER; LOWEST
TONIGHT TO BE ABOUT 28THE TEMPERATURES.
7 a. m. 33 9 a. m. 31
10 a. m. 30 11 a. m. 31
6 p. m. 28 7 p. m. 28Highest yester-
day, 46, at 4 p.
m.; lowest, 30,
at 7 a. m.Official fore-
cast for St. Louis
and vicinity:
Rain this after-
noon and evening;
tomorrow
rain; colder
with the lowest
temperature to-
night 28.A heavy rain
generally fair to-
night and to-
morrow, pre-
ceded by rain in
extreme east
portion tonight;
colder in west
and north por-
tions tonight and in southeast por-
tion tomorrow.FLYER ATTEMPTING TO
CROSS CONTINENT FAILSArmy Aviator, Trying to Make
Flight in 24 Hours, Forced to
Earth by Engine Trouble.By the Associated Press.
DALLAS, Tex., Feb. 22.—Lieut.
William D. Coney, who left San
Diego last night in an attempt to fly
to Dallas, Tex., in a 24-hour flight
in a biplane, was forced to earth at
Bronte, Colo. County, Tex., today
by engine trouble, according to
reports received at Love Field.
Coney was heavily injured, but the
aviator planned only one stop
southwest of Dallas on the Kansas
City, Mexico & Orient Railroad. He
was due in Dallas at 7 a. m.SAN DIEGO, Cal., Feb. 22.—Lieut.
William D. Coney left San
Diego at 7 o'clock last night for
Pablo Beach, Fla., in an attempt to
make the continental flight in 24
hours. He was forced to land at
Bronte, Colo. County, Tex., today
by engine trouble, according to
reports received at Love Field.
Coney was heavily injured, but the
aviator planned only one stop
southwest of Dallas on the Kansas
City, Mexico & Orient Railroad. He
was due in Dallas at 7 a. m.Army Aviator to Continue Cross-
Country Flight.
By the Associated Press.
JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Feb. 22.—
Lieut. William D. Coney will contin-
ue his cross-country flight to
Jacksonville with a short delay at
Bronte, Colo. County, Tex., accord-
ing to a telegram received here by
his mother.GROGER WOUNDED IN ATTEMPT
TO GRAB ROBBER'S REVOLVERHe Told of Two Youths Entering
Store and of Loss of Cigar Box
Containing Money.Isaac C. Lindsay, 59 years old, a
grocer at 2412 Elliot avenue, was
wounded in the right arm at 12:40
p. m. today when he attempted to
grab a revolver pointed at him by
one of two youthful robbers.He reported to the police that two
youths about 18 years old entered his
store and asked to see some pack-
ages.As he turned, one drew a revolver
and commanded him to put up his
hands. He grabbed for the weapon
and the other youth went to the
back of the counter and took a cigar
box in which Lindsay kept his
money. Both escaped. Lindsay said
he did not know how much money
was taken.FARMERS' OFFER OF CORN
FOR STARVING CHINESE ACCEPTEDFive Million Bushels of Grain In-
volved Must Arrive in China by
the Middle of May.By the Associated Press.
PEKIN, Feb. 22.—The All-American
Committee for Famine Relief
in China today announced accept-
ance of the tentative offer of 5,000,
600 bushels of corn made by Ameri-
can farmers for the relief of the
famine sufferers.The committee stipulated that the
grain, in order to accomplish the
purpose intended, should arrive in
China by the middle of May.Two Men Killed in Train Wreck.
By the Associated Press.
DALLAS, Tex., Feb. 22.—R. W.
May, engineer, and R. R. Dickey,
fireman, both of Denison, were
killed and several persons injured
when the northbound Texas Special
on the Missouri, Kansas & Texas
Railroad was wrecked two miles
north of Vaco late today, according
to an announcement at the railroad
general offices here.PHYSICIAN SHOOT
HIS BROTHER AND
ANOTHER MANStockholders in Coal Com-
pany Had Quarrel in Of-
fice at Mascoutah Over
Charge for Fuel.WOUNDED MEN NOT
EXPECTED TO RECOVERAnother Brother Says He
Was Attacked First and
Victims Were Shot When
They Came to Aid Him.Dr. James Beatty, 51, a physician
of Mascoutah, Ill., shot and danger-
ously wounded his brother, George
Beatty, also of Mascoutah, and Otto
Klingenfuss, 51, a wealthy resident of
Belleville, at 11 a. m. today in a row
over the affairs of the Beatty Coal
Co., in which all are stockholders, at
the office of the company in Mas-
couth. The wounded men were
taken to hospitals in Belleville,
where it was said that their chances
of recovery were regarded as slight.Dr. Beatty was placed in jail in
Belleville. He was in ill health prior
to the shooting and the reaction
from the excitement prostrated him.
He was lying on a cot when a Post-
Dispatch reporter saw him. He said
he was too sick to make a statement.
Five Beatty brothers—Roland,
George, John, James and Nephew—
and Klingenfuss compose the Beatty
Coal Co. Roland is the president.
George and Klingenfuss are directors
and the other three are stockholders.
Roland Beatty told Sheriff Pettie
that there had been trouble for some
time between George Beatty and
Klingenfuss composing one faction and
the other three brothers the other
faction.He said that they were having a
meeting today when a question was
raised whether stockholders were
entitled to get their coal cheaper
than the public. It was asserted, he
said, that some of the stockholders
had been favored. Denial was made
and there was a demand for produc-
tion of the books. Words passed
and Dr. Beatty picked up a poker
and struck Roland, he says, at
which time George Beatty, who was
with him, shot George and Klingenfuss
as they came to Roland's aid.Klingenfuss was shot in the chest
and George Beatty was shot through
the abdomen. George Beatty was
taken to St. Vincent's Hospital and
Klingenfuss to St. Elizabeth's Hospi-
tal.John Beatty gave another version.
He said that George had a club and
Klingenfuss was flourishing a re-
volver when the shots were fired.
Assistant State's Attorney Weber
went to St. Vincent's to take a state-
ment from George Beatty, but the at-
tending physicians said he was not
in a condition to make one and ad-
vised that Weber wait.HENRY STARR, BANDIT, DIES
IN JAIL; FAMILY AT BEDSIDEStatement Naming Accomplices in
Attempted Bank Holdup Said
Have Been Made by Oklahoma.By the Associated Press.
TARRINGTON, Ark., Feb. 22.—Hen-
ry Starr, Oklahoma bandit, wounded
when attempting to rob the People's
Bank last Friday, died this after-
noon.A statement said to reveal the
names of his accomplices in the at-
tempted robbery and detailed ac-
count of his career as an outlaw un-
der the guise of a reformed bank
robber, has been made by Starr, ac-
cording to W. J. Myers, former pres-
ident of the bank, who shot Starr.HOLY WAR BETWEEN SERBIANS
AND MONTENEGRINS REPORTEDWireless From Berlin States Two
Serbian Regiments Are Said to Have
Occupied City in Montenegro.By the Associated Press.
LONDON, Feb. 22.—A wireless
message from Berlin today says that
according to Serbia reports the Mon-
tenegrins have declared a holy war
against the Serbians. Two Serbian
regiments have occupied Cetinje,
Montenegro, and the situation is
grave, the message says.

FORD HAS HAD 9 OWNERS IN YEAR

Police Trace Its History After Ad-
vertisement Seeks Tenth Purchaser.PRESIDENT PROPOSES
THAT U. S. LET BELGIAN
PAY IN GERMAN BONDSCHICAGO TENANTS
STRIKE AGAINST
INCREASED RENTSMembers of Association Organ-
ize and Will Refuse to Move
or Pay Higher Rates.By the Associated Press.
CHICAGO, Feb. 22.—A tenant
strike, organized by the Chicago
Tenant Protective Association, was
launched today and campaign meet-
ings planned for all sections of the
city to enlist the assistance of 100,
000 tenants in refusal to pay in-
creased rents.Secretary A. E. Josselyn of the
association said striking tenants
would be encouraged to refuse either
to move or pay exorbitant rentals,
and the assistance of municipal
Judges would be sought, to have
eviction cases placed in their regu-
lar turn at the bottom of the court cal-
endar. This would bring them to
trial not earlier than next year.
Signs were distributed reading
"Unfair. Landlord demands ad-
vance. This apartment will not be
vacated May 1. Do you want to buy
a law suit?"A number of landlords gave notice
that notices of increases would be
re-called, or the increase modified.
Mayor Thompson in a letter to
Gov. Small requested the Governor
to ask the State Legislature for re-
vision of the tax assessment laws as
there is no way to stop the rent
hogs and rent gougers except by
taking away excessive and uncon-
scionable profits from them by tax-
ation.NOT GUILTY, JAPANESE VERDICT
ON SENTRY WHO SHOT AMERICANWar Department Announces Find-
ing After Trial of Charge of
Accidental Murder.By the Associated Press.
TOKYO, Feb. 22.—A finding of not
guilty has been rendered by the
tribunal which tried Tomogoro
Ogasawara, the sentry who shot
Lieut. Langdon of the U. S. S. Albany
at Vladivostok, last month. It was
officially announced by the War De-
partment today.The trial was on the charge of ac-
cidental murder.
The judgment in the case explains
that at 10 o'clock in the morning
of Jan. 8 the sentry's attention was
attracted by a flashlight, and he made
out a pedestrian approaching.
"At that time," the document goes
on, "several other, including those
used by the Japanese troops, had been
found broken and hanging down in
such a way that they might easily be
touched by a passerby. Naturally,
the accused suspected that the pedes-
trian might intend to cut wires."As he passed the place where the
wires were, the pedestrian's lamp
on, "several other, including those
used by the Japanese troops, had been
found broken and hanging down in
such a way that they might easily be
touched by a passerby. Naturally,
the accused suspected that the pedes-
trian might intend to cut wires."ALABAMA COAL STRIKE ENDS;
GOVERNOR TO BE MEDIATORBy the Associated Press.
MONTGOMERY, Ala., Feb. 22.—
The Alabama coal strike ended to-
day.
Concurrent with an order by the
United Mine Workers of America
that the strike which has been in
progress for six months, Alabama
National Guardsmen were withdrawn
from the affected area by executive
order.By agreement between the coal
operators and the union, the entire
question of settlement has been
placed in the hands of Gov. Keftor,
who has accepted the office of medi-
ator. The Governor's decisions and
orders will be final.ATTACK BY COSSACK TROOPS
ON TROTZKY'S TRAIN REPORTEDBy the Associated Press.
RIGA, Feb. 22.—A report from
Moscow today says that Cossack
troops attacked the railway train of
Leon Trotsky, the Russian soviet
War Minister, as it was traveling
along the Moscow-Orenburg Rail-
road. Several of the War Minister's
trainmen were wounded. It was
added.In Asking Congress for Legis-
lation, He Sends Copy of
Agreement With Clem-
enceau and Lloyd George.PLAN TO SUBMIT
SAME PROPOSITION
Sum to Be Liquidated by
America Would Be \$171,-
780,000, Debt on Date of
Signing of Armistice.By the Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, Feb. 22.—Enact-
ment of legislation authorizing the
Treasury Department to accept Ger-
man bonds in full payment of Bel-
gium's debt to the United States
contracted before the signing of the
armistice was recommended to Con

MAIL LETTER" SMITTED BY BAKER

employed in War Investigative
Alleged to Have Written
ing Suppression of Facts.

Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, Feb. 22.—Secre-
tary informed Chairman Kahn
house Military Committee to-
day that he had received a
recent refusal to permit
him and C. C. Lindsey, agents
in war investigation, to
examine secret documents
War Department was based
ground that they "were
to possess an interest in this
information not wholly inspired
by to safeguard the public in-

letter was transmitted in
with a resolution by Rep-
resentative Flood, Democrat, of Vir-
ginia, on the Secretary for a
re-
It was accompanied by a re-
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ment with a letter from the de-
partment for one of the in-
vestigation, and wanted to
papers in the settlement case
Valley Forging Co. of Ver-

had charged that the in-
formation was sought by the agents
of a blackmail plot and he
had a letter from Hill to Lind-
sey at the department be-
fore Hill's letter said:
"The people at Washington are
not going to move in the
matter I have arranged to in-
vestigate. I am going to in-
vestigate a New York paper
as a cooking good story and
played up as a sensation.
I have not finished yet and will
not publish it until the middle
of the week. It has occurred to me
this paper thinks it is worth
to publish, it might be worth
than that to some Pittsburgh
to suppress it. Of course,
negotiations would have to be
on very carefully, as you
do not want to lay yourself open
charge. However, if you
will anything over the \$2000
you can get. I think it ought
worth \$5000 to certain people
have it appear."
The committee tabled the Flood
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ing to the Associated Press, are
Chairman Johnson of the in-
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ployed Edmund Leigh, one of its
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MAN SLAIN AND HIS BROTHER SHOT IN POOLROOM HOLDUP

One of Two Robbers Said to Have Opened Fire on Pair After Handkerchief Dropped From His Face.

MAN HELD IDENTIFIED AS ONE WHO SHOT

Wounded Peddler Tells of Being Forced to Stand With Brother While Others at 1021 North Eighth Street Were Ordered Out.

Gustavo Genovesa, 28 years old, of 1021 North Eighth street, a fruit peddler, was shot and killed, and his brother, Bloja Genovesa, of 1018 North Ninth street, also a peddler, was seriously wounded at 1:45 o'clock last night by one of two masked men in a holdup at Joseph Lombardo's poolroom, 824 North Eighth street.

Joseph Cipolla, 22, of 514 Wash street, known to the police as "Green Onions," was identified by Bloja Genovesa as the man who shot him and his brother. Cipolla, who de-
clined the shooting, is held by the police.

Gustavo Genovesa was shot in the left chest, left leg and left arm. He was dead when he reached the city hospital. Bloja Genovesa was wounded in the left arm and chest, seemingly by one bullet. At the hospital it was found the bullet had pierced both lungs.

Eight Men in Pool Room.
At the hospital Bloja Genovesa said he and his brother and about eight other men were in the pool room when two men entered. One had a red handkerchief and the other a white handkerchief over his face, and both carried revolvers. One of the robbers gave the command: "Everybody put your hands up." All obeyed. They were then made to turn their backs to the robbers and face a wall.

One of the robbers started to search them. He took \$16 and a watch from Bloja Genovesa and a watch from Gustavo Genovesa. They then heard the command, "Take 'em back," and the robber with the red handkerchief marched all but the Genovesa brothers into a rear room.

Bloja Genovesa at the city hospital today told Acting Captain Gerke that the man with the white handkerchief was prodding them to make them go into the room with the others, but that he seemed to change his mind and ordered them to stay behind.

Robber Fires on Brother.
According to Bloja's account the robber made a move toward them and his handkerchief dropped from his face and the Genovesa brothers recognized him as Cipolla. They knew Cipolla well, but had not been on good terms with him, he said, and when they recognized him Gustavo spoke to him and asked why he had held them up. The robber seemed to turn them up. The robber seemed enraged and opened on them at close range, Bloja said.

The robbers and all the customers ran out, leaving only the wounded brothers and Tony Gates, manager of the poolroom, who had been taken into the rear room. A policeman who had heard the shots entered the poolroom and called an ambulance and summoned a detail of policemen from the Carr Street Station.

Prisoner Taken at Home.
Cipolla was arrested at his home at 3 p. m. He denied knowledge of the shooting, even after he had been identified at the hospital by Bloja Genovesa. He said he was at home when the shooting occurred.

Gates told the police that after he was taken into the rear room the red handkerchief robber took \$16 and a watch from him. He was searching the others when the shots were fired, causing them to run out. Frank Sansone of 1035 North Eighth street and Peter Bova of 114 North Eighth street were arrested at 1:45 p. m. when they drove up in an automobile in front of 813 North Eighth street, the home of Joseph Lombardo, proprietor of the pool room where the shooting occurred.

Bova and Sansone denied knowledge of the shooting and said they had intended visiting Lombardo an ambulance and summoned a detail of policemen from the Carr Street Station.

Cipolla has been arrested 32 times since 1915. He has served several years in prison for various crimes, including theft and has been fined for idling and carrying concealed weapons. In 1917 Cipolla shot and killed a negro known to the police as "rope bandit" who had been robbing men and mistreating women in the Carr Street district.

The police today announced they were informed that Cipolla and the Genovesa brothers quarreled about a month ago at the Fruit Exchange. Cipolla denied this.

Sleeps 21 Days and Dies.
MINNEAPOLIS, Feb. 22.—After having slept 21 days, John F. Vaughan of Minneapolis died of sleeping sickness Saturday, according to the physicians' record just filed.

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Musicians Discuss Art, Beer, Pickles and Business

Meeting to Consider Question, "Is St. Louis Asleep Musically?" Decides on Program With Municipal Auditorium as Ultimate Object.

Some of the relations between art, pickles, beer and business were discussed last night, when the Associated Musicians met at the Cabanne Branch Library to ventilate their views on the question, "Is St. Louis asleep musically, and if so, what is needed to awaken her?"

They decided that she is, and that the first step toward arousing her must be the awakening of the musicians themselves. It is the musicians, they conceded, who have both the talent and the remedy, and it was agreed that the Chamber of Commerce to build a strong organization of musicians, and then make a campaign for the erection of a municipal auditorium and concert hall, such as was contemplated in one of the defeated items of the last bond issue proposal.

"We never finish anything," complained George Enzinger, the president. "We have a perfectly astounding record of things begun, and an equally perfect one of nothing completed. We were to have a music division of the Chamber of Commerce. That chamber of Commerce is a Civic Music Association, which met once or twice and hasn't been heard of since. The Art League was going to coordinate all the musical interests of the city, and accomplish something. One or two fine meetings were held, and that was the end of it. We planned an annual music week, but we haven't had any since. Every proposition starts like a brand and quits to a wispener."

Suggestion of Sandwiches.
But a suggestion was interposed by Ernest R. Kroeger, teacher and composer. "The Chamber of Commerce induced us to join it in the belief that it would divide the city into two camps, but when they got about 12 of us in as members, they dropped us, musically, with a dull, unmusical thud. We hired a hall and announced a program," he said. "We have enough musicians to get up almost anything we choose. Let's have 500 musicians and music lovers there, and serve refreshments. Then lock the doors and make them join the association."

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Pickles and Beer Recalled.
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ELECTION BOARD MEETS ON SCHOOL MATTER

Commissioners Hold Nominations Cannot Be Made by Party Convention.

The new Board of Election Commissioners met today in the law offices of its chairman, John B. Edwards, in the Commercial Building, to consider the method of providing for school board nominations.

Lansing F. Smith, 5533 Waterman avenue, president of the American Educational Society, and Attorney E. M. Grossman and W. Scott Hancock appeared in favor of a plan to nominate five nonpartisan candidates by petition. They pointed out that the law provides for nominations either in this manner or by party primary. They contended that there is no provision for nomination by convention.

The Election Board ruled that the first two methods were legal but that there was doubt as to the convention plan. Chairman George W. Strodtman of the Board of Election Commissioners, which retired last week, said that they had intended calling a convention. Secretary A. H. Robbins, speaking for the new board, said that after examining the law it appeared the ruling of the old board was erroneous.

Strodtman and Robbins, on suggestion of the latter, then agreed to take up the matter of making nominations by petition with their respective committees. For this purpose the Democratic Committee will meet Thursday afternoon. Strodtman promised to call a special meeting of the Republican Committee for Thursday evening. The matter will be explained to the Democrats by Robbins and James Y. Flanagan, Demo-

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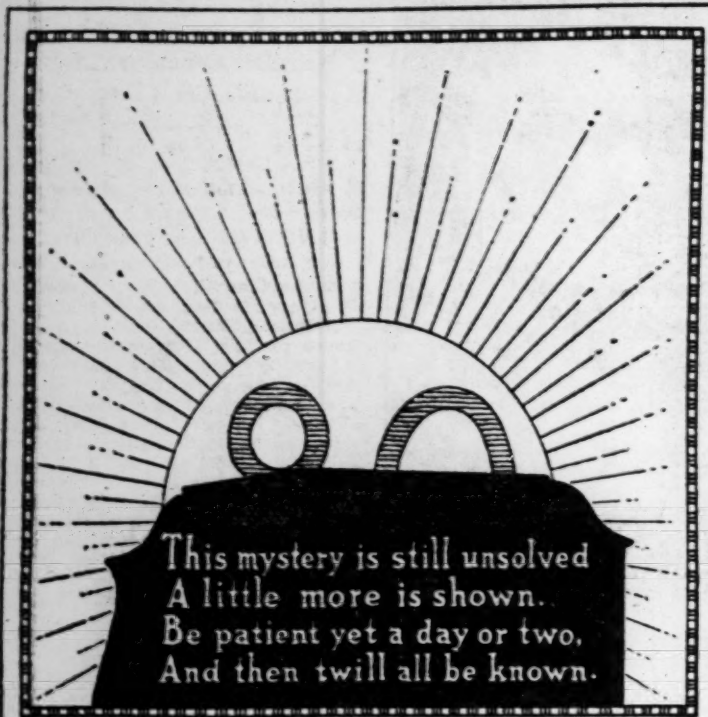
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Robbers Shoot Postal Clerk.
HOUSTON, Tex., Feb. 22.—In-
censed because James M. Richard-
son, postal clerk, told them he had
no money, two robbers who
boarded a Houston & Texas Central
mail car as it was leaving the station
here last night for Dallas, shot Rich-
ardson and leaped from the car
while it was still in the yards. Rich-
ardson was hurried to a hospital,
where it was said his condition was
serious. The robbers obtained
nothing.



This mystery is still unsolved
A little more is shown.
Be patient yet a day or two.
And then twill all be known.

CLEANUP CAMPAIGN CONTINUED, WITH RAIDS ON 6 PLACES

Two Men Arrested in Room
in Hotel When Police Find
3 Quarts of Whisky in
Dresser Drawer.

The cleanup campaign started by
the new Police Board was continued
by the police last night, when visits
were made to several places suspec-
ted of the sale or manufacture of
liquor. Arrests were made at six
places and a quantity of liquor was
seized.

In room 412 of the Laclede Hotel
Annex, three quarts of whisky were
found in a dresser drawer. James
Capase, 34 years old, of 1948 Sem-
ple avenue, who was occupying the
room with Michael Marchlewski, 22,
of 1320 North Twentieth street, said
the whisky was his, and declared he
had a perfect right to it. March-
lewski was his guest, he said. The
police locked up both.

Half a gallon of raisin whisky,
contained in a tin can and hidden
behind the door, was found in a
saloon at 316 Market street. Voss
Roth, the bartender, was arrested.

When policemen entered a saloon
at 913 Market street, they said, Gus
Udila, 17 years old, who was behind
the bar, seized a bottle of what the
police believe was whisky from
under the counter and smashed it
against a pitcher on the bar. They
arrested him.

Following a report that home-
brewed beer was being sold at the
saloon of Erwin Gintz, 3532 Easton
avenue, the police found three kegs
of what appeared to be beer, one of
which was on draft. Proceeding up-
stairs they found a vat of beer mash;
a wash boiler, a sack of hops and
three cans of malt extract. Gintz,
who is 35 years old, and John Wil-
lard, the bartender, of 4233 Lee
avenue, were arrested.

At 10 p. m. policemen entered a
coffee house at 609 Elm street,
where they found 25 Greeks playing
a card game which the policemen
had never seen before, but which,
they said, was for money. The play-
ers were arrested.

Two women were arrested in a
house at Sixth and Elm streets.

**Hyde Says Details of Raids Are Up to
Police Commissioners.**

SPECIAL TO THE POST-DISPATCH.
JEFFERSON, CITY, Feb. 22.—
"One of the principal purposes of
raids in St. Louis is to break up
gathering places of criminals," Gov.
Hyde said today in regard to objec-
tions that two St. Louis legislators
had made yesterday to the manner
in which the St. Louis Police De-
partment had conducted the raids of
Saturday night.

"And so, it will be necessary in
some raids, carried out for that pur-
pose, to arrest all found in resorts
raided. However, the manner of
conducting raids and all other af-
fairs of the St. Louis Police De-
partment are in the hands of the Police
Commissioners there."

The Governor said that Representa-
tive Razovsky, among others of the
St. Louis delegation during the con-
ference with them on home rule yes-
terday, had objected that all found
in the places raided were arrested,
while he thought only the proprietor
should be arrested. He also objected
that places frequented by persons of
small means were being raided, while
clubs of the wealthy were going un-
molested.

**U. S. District Attorney Refuses to Is-
sue Warrant Against Belvedere Joe.**

The case of Joseph Gonnella, pro-
prietor of Belvedere Joe's, Delmar
boulevard and Euclid avenue, one
of the establishments raided by the
police Saturday night, was one of a
number in which United States Dis-
trict Attorney Carroll refused yes-
terday to issue warrants charging vio-
lation of the Volstead prohibition
law. Thirty persons were arrested
at Belvedere Joe's.

The District Attorney held that
there was no proof of the sale of
liquor. In the case of one customer,
who was found to have a bottle of
liquor in his possession, he said
prosecution might be possible under
the new State law, but not under
the Federal law. Under the State
law, the man might be charged with
unlawfully transporting the liquor.

**CROWD THREATENS MAN GIRL
CHARGED WITH OFFENDING HER**

When motor cycle police from the
Southeast Station arrived at 2025
South Eleventh street at 8:30
p. m. yesterday, in response to a riot
call, they found a crowd of neigh-
bors looking for Andrew Sila, 32
years old, who conducts a shoe re-
pair shop there and lives in a room
behind the shop, and threatening
what they would do to him if they
found him. One man in the crowd,
the police say, had a rope.

A 9-year-old girl had been sent to
the shop for a pair of shoes and on
returning home had told her mother
that Sila had acted offensively to-
ward her and her mother had told
the neighbors.

The police found Sila hiding in a
shed in the rear of 1928 South
Twelfth street and took him to the
station. Later three other girls were
taken to the station by their parents
and they identified him as having
acted offensively toward them when
they were sent to his shop within the
last two weeks.

Sila, who has a wife and five chil-
dren on a farm near Poplar Bluff,
Mo., admitted to the police, they
say, that he is fond of children, but
said that the little girls had en-
gendered. Warrants will be applied
for today.

The "Microscale" Invented.
STOCKHOLM, Feb. 22.—Prof.
Peterson and Stromberg, respec-

tively of Gothenberg and Stockholm
universities, are said to have per-
fected an invention which is called

the "microscale," which, it is as-
serted, is as low as one three-millionth of a
milligram. It is declared that the in-
vention will prove most important
in chemical and physical research.

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BROWN BREAD—steam-
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with Boston Baked Beans is
delicious if there is a gener-
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Try it the next time you
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IN A SALE AT
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Exquisite—Emb. Taffeta—
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Crepes de Chine and Satins—
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Extra-size Dresses—
All go in this sale at—
Sale starts 5:45
Wednesday morning.

500 HIGH-GRADE NEW SPRING SAMPLE SUITS!!

Samples Worth \$50.00
Samples Worth \$40.00
Samples Worth \$35.00
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Double Trimmed
Russian Blouses
Serges
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Ruffles
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Manish Effects

Sizes 14 to 20
Sizes 16 to 40
Sizes 42 to 50

**\$14.⁸⁵
\$23.⁸⁵**

Extra Sizes for Stouts
Up to Size 58 Included
In This Sale Tomorrow

Choice of All Cloth and Plush COATS

AT LESS THAN COST!
All \$15.00 to \$20.00 Plush & Cloth Coats, \$6.50
All \$22.50 to \$27.50 Plush & Cloth Coats, \$10.00
All \$30 to \$40 Plushes, Cloths & Wraps, \$15.00
All \$45 to \$50 Plushes, Cloths & Wraps, \$19.75
All \$55 to \$60 Plushes, Cloths & Wraps, \$23.75
All \$65 to \$75 Plushes, Cloths & Wraps, \$28.75
All \$75 to \$85 Plushes, Cloths & Wraps, \$33.75

Next month is Easter month

A suggestion! Order your
spring suit this month and
let us deliver it to you next
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month is Easter month.

You get the same extra
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lored suits now as always
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extra wear.

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A great group, consisting of
batiste gowns and envelope
chemises, cotton crepe bloomers
and nainsook petticoats. Val-
ues to \$2.95, choice at.....
\$1
Kline's—Main Floor.

Kline's

606-608 Washington Avenue, Thru to Sixth Street

Score Another for Kline's Better Values in This Great Sale of Spring Coats

Similar Styles and Quali-
ties Were Priced Last Year
at \$45, \$50 and \$55!

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Bought Deeply Underpriced! Every One a Phenomenal Value at

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New Spring Styles! New Spring Colors!

Cut Boleros Ramonas Polo Cloths Tricotines
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Kline's—Third Floor.

Flower Wreaths
75c to \$1.00
There are flowers
in small sizes
wreaths for hat trimmings



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Prices.
Infants' Nainsook
made in bishop
dainty lace at neck
Special.
Infants' lace-trim
Gowns. Special.
Infants' Long
fine quality nainsook
embroidery, yokes
trimmed skirts. \$1.
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Skirts, with hems f
ed or embroidered.
Infants' sample
Dresses in long
styles. Specially
Baby Blankets
blue, with nurser
scalloped or rib
edges. Special \$2.

**Wednesday
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THRIFT A**
The Buy-Way
Girls' Dress
Bloomer Dress
fancy plaid gingham
high waist styles.
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Stamped Dr
Children's Dress
quality nainsook,
simple designs; so
one year sizes.
(on 2)

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Flower Wreaths,
75c to \$1.98

There are flowers of many colors, in small sizes, made into wreaths for hat trimmings.
(Third Floor.)

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Straw Braids,
25c to 59c Yd.

Cellophane, Visca Braid and Hemp—all the popular braids—in a good selection of colors.
(Third Floor.)

A Special Purchase of
Plaited Plaid SkirtsTo Sell \$7.95
at

OF course, one can always purchase a plaited plaid skirt, but it is a truly rare occasion which presents all-wool skirts in generous widths at this price.

Chic enough to suit the most fastidious, and well tailored enough for the most exacting, these skirts will immediately appeal to you as the correct buy for a wise shopper.

Many color combinations, come in a variety of plaitings—and in addition, at this price are navy serges, plaited or in the new circular style, with fancy stitching or embroidery to trim them.

The group is most praiseworthy for variety and quality, at this very low price.
(Third Floor.)

Wednesday
Baby Day

BABIES reign supreme in some places always, but it is Wednesday here that he is lord of all. In all ways do we cater to his needs in variety of merchandise and in special prices.

Infants' Nainsook Slips, made in bishop style, with dainty lace at neck and sleeves. Special 75c.

Infants' lace-trimmed Muslin Gowns. Special 75c.

Infants' Long Dresses of fine quality nainsook, with tiny embroidery yokes and lace trimmed skirts. Special \$1.98.

Infants' flannel Gertrude Skirts, with hems featherstitched or embroidered in silk floss \$1.50 and \$1.98.

Infants' sample handmade Dresses in long and short styles. Specially priced.

Baby Blankets in pink or blue, with nursery figures and scalloped or ribbon bound edges. Special \$1.50 and \$1.98.
(Second Floor.)

Wednesday Specials
onTHRIFT AVENUE
The Buy-Way of St. Louis

Girls' Dresses, \$1.79
Bloomer Dresses, made of fancy plaid gingham; shown in high waist styles. Various colors. Sizes 2 to 6 years.
(On Thrift Avenue.)

Stamped Dresses, 39c
Children's Dresses, of good quality nainsook, stamped in simple designs; six months and one year sizes.
(On Thrift Avenue.)

Women's Gowns, 75c
Made in tailored slipover style, of good quality muslin or crepe; trimmed with fine embroidery.
(On Thrift Avenue.)

Linen Toweling, 25c Yd.
Bleached Crash Toweling, Barnsley make; warranted pure linen; finished with fast-colored red border. 17 inches wide.
(On Thrift Avenue.)

Cocoanut Bonbons, 30c Box
Fresh ground Cocoanut, covered with delicious cream fondant in various flavors. Made fresh for Wednesday's selling.
(On Thrift Avenue.)

Egg nog Roll, 35c Box
Delicious slices of butter cream caramel and nuts, at this special price. (On Thrift Avenue.)

On the "Squares"
Lace-Edged Curtains, \$1.95 Pair
An exceptional value in mercerized Marquisette Curtains, hemstitched and finished with wide filet edge. Shown in white only.
(Boulevard Square, Main Floor.)

A Special Selling of
Frankel's Silesian
Table Linens

THESE fine Tablecloths and Napkins are made by the largest and oldest manufacturer of household linens in the world. The manufacturer raises his own flax and treats, spins, weaves, bleaches and finishes it, all under one roof. Each piece has that soft, silken finish which only fine linens possess.

We invite our customers to come and see these Linens. There are many beautiful patterns and a large assortment of sizes. Each Cloth and Napkin is hemmed. The prices you will find surprisingly low.

72x 72-in. Tablecloths, special	\$ 8.95
72x 90-in. Tablecloths, special	\$11.95
72x 96-in. Tablecloths, special	\$12.50
72x108-in. Tablecloths, special	\$13.95
72x120-in. Tablecloths, special	\$15.00
72x136-in. Tablecloths, special	\$17.50
72x144-in. Tablecloths, special	\$19.50
24 1/2 x 24 1/2-in. Napkins, dozen	\$12.50

(Second Floor.)

New Spring Woolens
Stock the Department

THE fabrics for Spring suits and tailor frocks are unusually beautiful this year. Your ideal trotteur can be realized in wonderfully woven wool material of almost silky texture.

Piquette, \$8.75 Yard
A fashionable cord material, in a new shade for Spring called "Grouse".

Peau de Soire, \$9.95 Yard
A new Spring weave of silky wool, for fine suits and dresses. 54 inches wide.

Cream Flannels and Tricos, \$5.00 Yard
For Spring and Summer wear; plain, striped and checked cream woolens, made in France. 50 inches wide.

Cluster Stripes and Checks, \$7.50 Yard
A distinct novelty, direct from France; an ideal fabric for pleated skirts and novelty suits. Black and navy grounds.

All-Wool Tricotine, \$5.00 Up
Several grades of navy blue Tricotine that are well worth the cost, for suits and dresses.

Special-Serge, \$1.95 Yd.
Very fine, heavy weight All-Wool Serge at a special price. Navy blue only. 54 in. wide.

Coatings, \$4.00 Yard
Tan and brown shades, in Spring weight Velour Coatings.

Children's Coatings, \$2.98 Yard
Flannel Coatings in bright red, cerise, Chinese blue, brown, hunters' green and bright green. 54 inches wide.

Half-Inch Checks, \$1.95 Yard
Specially priced. Just thirty yards left, in black and white. 48 inches wide.

Chamois Cloth, \$4.95 Yd.
Spring Coating of very lovely shade and texture. 54 inches wide.

Black Dress Goods
Two generations of discriminating shoppers have found Black Dress Goods of quality here. We feature, from our Black Goods Section—

Black Broadcloth, \$2.95 Yard
A fine grade; 48 inches wide, at a special price.

Black Tricotine, \$2.50 Yard
50-inch All-Wool Tricotine, at a reduction.

Black Point Twill, \$3.25 Yard
An ideal material, 54 inches wide, for dresses and suits. Specially priced.

Velour de Laine, \$5.95 Yard
Black, navy, brown, Bordeaux, French blue, Havana brown, Pe kin blue. Made in France.

Shepherd Checks, \$3.75 Yard
A good assortment of black and white Shepherd Checks at this price.
(Second Floor.)

Tailored and Untrimmed Hats

THE popular banded style, and many untrimmed shapes, in highly desirable designs and colors are to be found here at attractive prices.

Banded Hats, \$3.50 to \$5

These most popular Hats for street, business, sports wear or for college girls, show double brim styles in tan and barnyard straw and straight or roll brim styles with various width brims. Black and all colors.

Untrimmed Milan Hemp Hats, \$2.98
A varied assortment of Sailors, Pokes, close-fitting styles and large Hats, in fine quality Milan hemp. All colors and black.

Untrimmed Barnyard Straw Hats, \$1.75
Pokes, roll brims and mushroom styles are shown in these Barnyard Straw Hats. All colors. (Third Floor.)



Dresses of Amoskeag Gingham

Several Styles; Sizes 36 to 46; \$1.98
in a Special Selling at

DID you ever buy a well-made Dress of Amoskeag gingham for one-ninety-eight? If you did, it was in the long, long ago. We bought a hundred dozen of these attractive Dresses at a special price for the lot. We are pleased to be able to offer you a splendid opportunity.

These well-known ghingams are never used for any but high-class Dresses. Their quality and beauty of pattern are known the world over. Plaids, pin check, candy stripes and plain checks, are trimmed with solid colors or self materials. The straightline, box-pleated model is the favorite style.

This is a most unusual offering.
(Second Floor and on Thrift Avenue.)

In the Downstairs Store
Presenting Exceptionally Attractive Styles in
New Spring Dresses
At Prices That Will Meet With Great Popularity

\$15 \$19.75 \$25

THE vast selection of styles and the fine quality of the materials make this sale one of unusual value.

Many of these Dresses are copies of far costlier models. The very latest styles are shown, basques, straightline effects, tunics and other clever features of the new season.

Taffeta, crepe de chine, tricolette, combined Georgette and taffeta are some of the materials from which these Frocks are made. Many are trimmed with beading or embroidery. The colors are brown, taupe, tan, gray, navy and black.

There are sizes for women and misses.
Every Dress is a splendid value.
(Downstairs Store.)

Household Linens
Are Worth While Buying

Sheets, 81x90-Inch,
at \$1.25 Each

Bed Sheets, made of good quality medium-weight cotton, double bed size (81x90 inches); neatly hemmed; all perfect.

Pillow Tubing,
39c Yard

Pequot Pillowcase Tubing, a well-known standard, 42 inches wide. Just 15 pieces to offer.

Huck Towels,
25c Each

Hemstitched Towels of fine quality mercerized huck; jacquard borders; some with monogram designs. Size 19x34 inches.

Bed Blankets,
\$1.69 Pair

Heavy cotton-fleeced Bed Blankets, in white, gray or tan. Size 64x76 inches.

Pillowcases,
35c Each

Pillowcases made from short ends of fine quality bleached sheetings. Sizes 42x36 and 45x36 inches.

3 O'clock Special
Bedspreads, \$2.89 Ea.

Just 150 heavy quality Crochet Bedspreads, in Mar-selles designs. Large size, 82x94 inches.
(Downstairs Store.)

New Scrim Curtains
\$1.36 and \$1.66 Pair

CHOICE of many attractive styles; made of excellent quality scrim, in white, ivory and ecru. Some are hemstitched, with lace borders; others have lace insertion and edge, and there are many other styles.

Lace Curtains, \$1.98 Pair

Nottingham Lace Curtains, made of strong border threads and overlapped edges. Attractive patterns. 2 1/2 yards long.

Filet Curtains, \$2.98 Pair

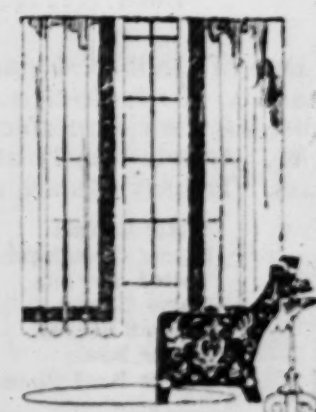
A lot of 400 pairs of White and Ivory Filet Curtains, either all-over or plain center effects, with attractive border.

Sash Curtains, 22c, 33c and 44c Pair

Net and Scrim Sash Curtains, including lace edge, hemmed borders, insertions and edge of lace styles. Unusual values.

Cretonnes, 25c Yard

Beautiful new Spring patterns on light and dark backgrounds, suitable for any room. 36 inches wide. Perfect.
(Downstairs Store.)

The March Sale of
Curtains and Rugs

Among the many groups of Curtains is a special purchase of the

Entire Stock of Curtains From a Philadelphia Maker

Including Irish point, point Milan, Marie Antoinette, handmade Arabian, handmade Cluny, St. Gall Duchesse, St. Gall Tambour, cable net, Filet net, scrim and Marquisette Curtains. These are offered in eight feature groups:

At \$1.65 \$2.35 \$2.95 \$4.85 \$6.95 \$9.85 \$11.95 \$18.65
Pair Pair Pair Pair Pair Pair Pair Pair

Handmade Arabian Panels, \$4.65 and \$6.95 Each
Of special interest are these handmade Arabian Panel Curtains, elaborate designs mounted on durable bobbinet. Widths to fit the average window.

Arabian Curtains, \$5.95 and \$7.95 Pair
Elaborate borders mounted on durable bobbinet; styles suitable for any room in the home. Liberal width and length.

Irish Point and Point Applique Curtains, \$4.85 Pair
An exceptional group of Curtains, comprising Irish Point and Point Applique Curtains, in charming patterns. Ivory, champagne and ecru tints.

Curtain Materials, 29c Yard
Fancy drawwork bordered Marquisette, in mercerized quality, shown in white, ivory and beige. 36 inches wide.

35c Yard
Filet Curtain Nets, in a variety of patterns; ivory and beige shades; 36 inches wide; for long or sash curtains.

38c Yard
Dotted Curtain Grenadine; sheer quality, in white only. Makes up into dainty curtains. Subject to slight irregularities.

50-In. Printed Tapestry, At \$1.75 Yard
A splendid weight Tapestry for upholstery, for draperies, etc., shown in a good range of patterns and colorings.

At \$2.20 Yard
Verdure Tapestry, in the 50-inch width; for upholstery, etc.

At \$2.65 Yard
Draperies Velours, in blue, green, taupe and burnt orange, for door and window hangings. 50 inches wide. (Sixth Floor.)

Rugs and Linoleum

Royal Wilton Rugs, \$69.75

Beautiful Rugs of dependable quality, in color combinations to harmonize with any decoration. Size 9x12 feet, finished with fringe on ends.

Wiltona Rugs, \$47.50

Seamless Wiltona Rugs, of exceptional merit, and in beautiful effects. Size 9x12 feet.

Axmister Rugs, \$34.75

Extra heavy grade Axminster Rugs, with rich, deep pile. Size 9x12 feet.

Axmister Rugs in size 8 ft. 3 in. by 10 ft. 6 in., in same designs as the 9x12-ft. size \$37.50

Imported Chenille Rugs, \$45.00

Made of the very finest yarn and woven in one piece, Oriental design. Size 8 ft. 3 in. by 11 ft. 6 in.

Imported Chenille Rugs, size 6 ft. 4 in. by 9 ft. 9 in. \$34.50

Extra large size Chenille Rugs; 9 ft. 9 in. by 13 ft. 2 in. \$75.00

Linoleum, 89c Square Yard

The best grade Printed Linoleum, made with cork and burlap back; numerous designs, in tile, block and hardwood effects. Fear yards wide.

Linoleum, \$1.39 Sq. Yd.

Heavy weight Inlaid Linoleum, color goes through to the back; blue-and-white designs predominate, for kitchens, bathrooms and store use. Cut from full rolls.
(Sixth Floor.)



Men's \$4 Cape Gloves

The highest grade Capeskin Gloves made by one of America's foremost manufacturers. To purchase several pairs would be a wise and economical investment. Shown in tan only, and in sizes 7 to 10, \$4.00 quality; Wednesday at pair... **\$2.85**

Main Floor

Wall Papers

15c to 30 Grades
Included are bedroom stripes and chints effects; 26-inch Outmeal Papers, Kitchen, Hall and Bathroom Papers; two-tone stripes; all-over effects and varnished golds for dining rooms and living rooms; roll... **12½c**
Sold Only With Borders; priced 3c to 15c Yd.
Fifth Floor

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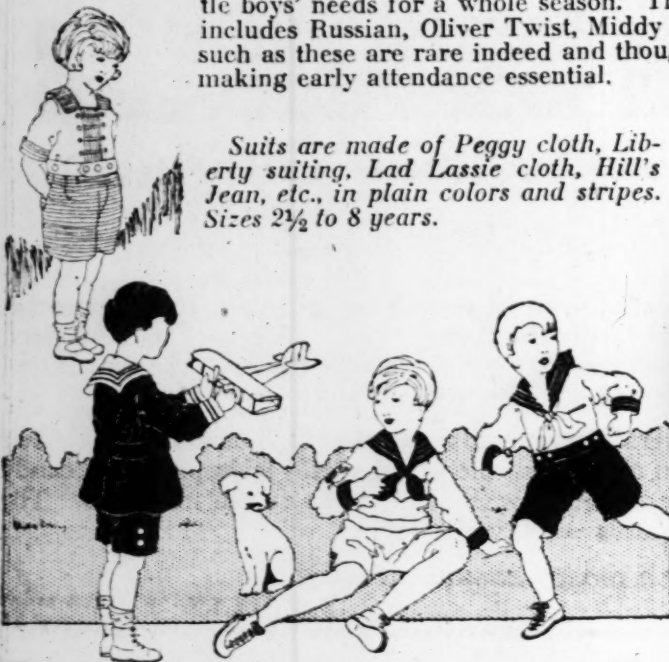
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A Special Purchase Brings Another Big February Feature Tomorrow—
Over 5000 Wash Suits for Boys

Intended to Retail at \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00 and \$4.50—Choice at \$1.85

A saving opportunity that will not escape the notice of the thoughtful mother who can anticipate her little boys' needs for a whole season. These are the well-known "Kupid Clothes for Kids" and the assortment includes Russian, Oliver Twist, Middy and other fancy models of the most dependable materials. Values such as these are rare indeed and though the quantity is large the buying promises to be extremely brisk, making early attention essential.



Suits are made of Peggy cloth, Liberty suiting, Lad Lassie cloth, Hill's Jean, etc., in plain colors and stripes. Sizes 2½ to 8 years.



Round, square and sailor collars—long and short sleeves—braid and emblem trimming—cords and ties—some have patch pockets.



Second Floor—Use New Sixth or Seventh Street Elevators

Butter Scotch
Patties

Wednesday,
Pound..... **39c**

Cane sugar and creamery butter used in the making of this confection. After being cooked to just the proper degree it is made into very thin, round, brittle wafers.

Main Floor

Now on the Third Floor

Blue Serge

\$2.25 Quality \$1.50
—Yard..... **1**

1000 yards of splendid wearing, all-wool, navy blue French Serge at this special price for Wednesday.

\$4.50 Black Broadcloth, \$3.50

Made by Botany mills, of all-wool yarns; 54 inches wide. Richly finished quality in perfect black only.

\$3 Wool Jersey, \$2.39

All-wool Jersey Cloth, in the wanted sport and street shades. Dress weight; 54 inches wide.

Third Floor

Men, Here's Your Chance to Buy a Spring Hat

Sale of Men's Spring

Offering \$5, \$6 and \$8
Values for

\$2.85



Never could we have offered the men of St. Louis such remarkable values in Spring Hats at this time if it were not for a most unusual purchase from an Eastern Hat maker—the details of which are of little consequence. The values are truly wonderful and the styles are up to the minute.

Ten new Spring hats, four of which are illustrated—new urban brims with bow in the back, also well and saw-edge styles—silk lined—shades include green, brown, dark gray, pearl gray, tan and the always dress black. Sizes 6¾ to 7¾.

Main Floor

Reduce the Expense of Spring Decorations by Sharing in These Special Values—

February Sale of Curtains



New Curtains make a wonderful improvement in home interiors, and the special lots that are now being offered make it possible to acquire them at a saving. A splendid variety of kinds and styles to suit individual tastes and requirements.

Lace
Curtains
\$4 to \$5
Values—
Pair..... **\$2.95**

Marquessette and voile Curtains, trimmed with Cluny and Princess lace edges; also, some Marquessette Curtains with dainty ruffles; suitable for sun parlors or bedrooms.

Irish Point
Curtains
\$13.50 to \$20
Values—
Pair..... **\$9.95**

Beautiful Curtains, made in Switzerland and on extra good quality netting. Choice of many attractive patterns. Some of them are 3 yards in length.

Lace Curtains, Pair, \$3.50

Filet and Scotch weaves in the newest designs, including those with all-over effects. In white, cream and Arabian colors. Exceptional values.

Arabian Curtains
Pair, \$5.95

Mounted on best French nettings, with lace edges of handsome Arabian lace. In natural beige color and appropriate for living room, library and dining room windows.

Cretonnes
Yard, 50c

The very newest designs and color combinations. Printed on various weaves of cloth, including excellent quality mercerized reps. Offered at less than cost to manufacturer.

Lace Curtains, Pair, \$4.85

These are of unusually high quality. Some are made with lace-trimmed edges; others with overlapped edges. Filet and Scotch weaves in very attractive designs.

Scotch Curtain Madras
Yard, 44c

Curtain Madras in soft cream and yellow. Also some with colored figures in blue, rose and yellow. 65c to 85c qualities.

Fifth Floor

You'll Save by Buying One of These
Two-Trouser Spring Suits

For Men and Young Men



1921 Spring Models—Intended to Retail at \$60, \$70, \$80 to \$90—Offered in the February Sale at

\$42

Not only will a substantial saving be effected, but the Suits are bound to give splendid satisfaction—they're tailored in a high-class manner from excellent materials, as you may well know when we tell you that they were made by the

Special Order Custom Department of A. B. Kirschbaum & Co.

Not only did this well-known company make the Suits to our specifications, but they sold us, at a very special price, the materials from which they are made—representing their entire stock of domestic and imported light and medium weight all-wool suitings. Regular sizes, extra sizes, slacks, slubs, shorts and slims.

Second Floor—Use New Sixth or Seventh St. Elevators

The Maximum in Values Is Offered Daily in Our

February Furniture Sale

The success this event is achieving and the wide interest it is arousing are due to the remarkable savings we offer on the highest type of furniture. The householder who has failed to profit by this sale should do so Wednesday, as the day's offerings, including the following groups:

Ostermoor Mattresses

\$35.00 Value... **\$18.75**

50-lb. Mattresses, filled with all-layer cotton felt with a high-grade art ticking. Made with rolled edge.



\$350 Dining Room Suites

Walnut Suites in Queen Anne design. Included are 60-inch buffet, dining table, five chairs and one armchair; special at **\$195**



\$350 Bedroom Suites

Queen Anne Bedroom Suites, made of select wood in choice of American walnut or brown mahogany. All pieces perfectly matched, dustproof and of splendid construction **\$165**

Living-Room Suites

\$225.00 Value... **\$98.50**

The Sets consist of 7-foot davenport and chair to match, excellently constructed with full spring edge and loose cushions—upholstered silk velour or extra quality damask.

Seventh Floor



Exceptional Values Available Tomorrow in This

Sale of Etched Glassware

\$4 to \$9.95 a Dozen Qualities, Each..... **25c** Over 8500 Pieces in the Assortment

One of the largest glassware factories in the country had this immense quantity of needle-etched and deep-plate-etched glassware set aside because of some imperfection, and sold us the entire lot at a very special price. A wide variety of kinds and shapes, made of the finest lead-blown glass. The savings are unusual.

Water Goblets
Saucer Champagne
Footed Sherbets
Claret Glasses
Cocktail Glasses
Finger Bowls
Finger Bowl Plates

Water Tumblers
Iced Tea Glasses
Handled Lemonade Glasses
Grape Juice Glasses
Wine Glasses
Highball Glasses
Sherry Glasses, etc.

Fifth Floor



Values Extraordinary in the February Event That Starts Tomorrow

Sale of Umbrellas

In Two Very Remarkable Groups at

\$3.50 and \$5.00

All Have Smart Baccalite Handles—Many Styles for Choice

One must profit by their opportunities to succeed. By taking advantage of this unusual opportunity we can now offer you the most surprising values the smartest and most popular styles—values that you cannot afford to pass up.

An overstocked manufacturer sold us, at a very special price, a large quantity of beautiful, high-grade Baccalite umbrella handles. We had them mounted on the best style wide-spread paragon frames, with stub ends to match and covered with American tape-edged taffeta and Union taffeta silk.

They are in the tightest the handles are in a styles and colors—Unusually pay about twice

\$62 & \$75 Seamless Axminster

Sanford's best quality Rugs—extra heavy with deep pile and artistic designs in the richest colorings—Rugs that will harmonize with any color scheme and can be used in any room; all 9x12 size.

Fifth Floor

Co's February Sales

Largest Distributors of Merchandise at Retail in Missouri or the West

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Men's Spring Hats

Offering \$5, \$6 and \$8 Values for

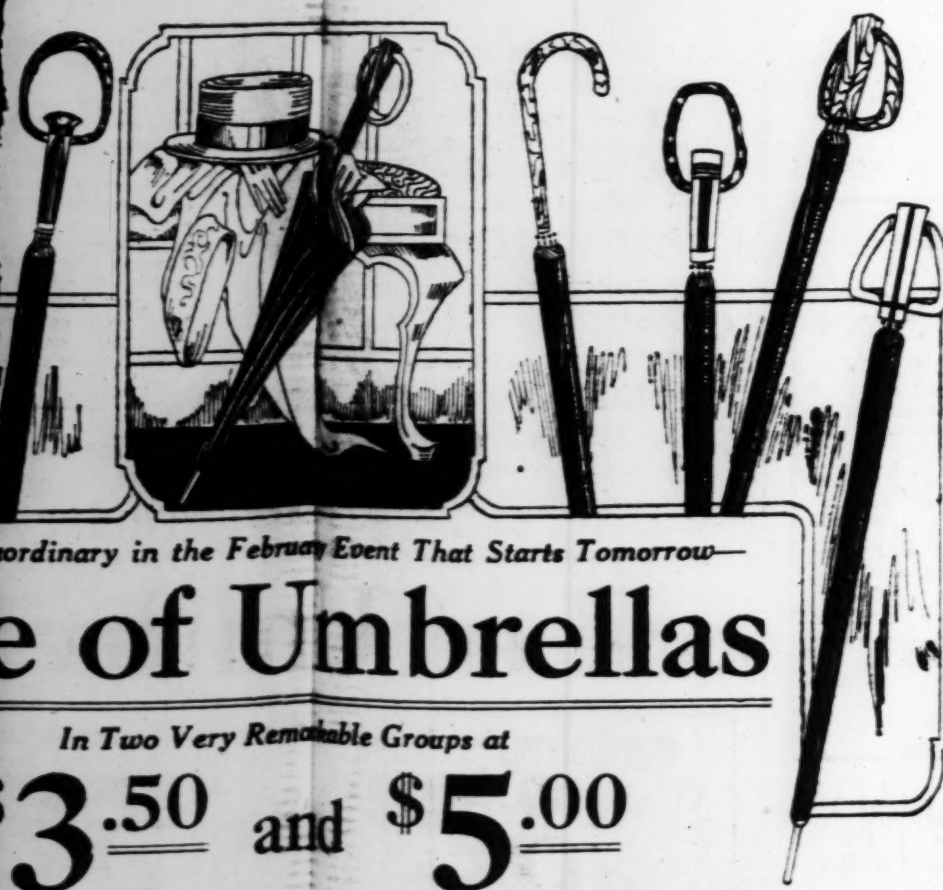
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Main Floor



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They are in the tight-rolling style with silk cases, and the handles are in a seemingly endless variety of ring styles and colors—Umbrellas for which you would ordinarily pay about twice the sale prices.

Main Floor

Seamless Axminster Rugs

Rugs—extra heavy with deep pile and artistic colorings—Rugs that will harmonize with any room; all 9x12 size.

\$49.50

Fifth Floor

Fancy Silks

\$2 to \$3 Grades **\$1.50**—Yard.....

Just 2000 yards of 36-inch wide Taffeta, satin and twill weaves, in rich plaids, broken checks and fancy stripes.

\$3.75 Black Silk, \$2.69

All-silk Crepe, in 40-inch width. Made with lustrous satin face and extremely stylish for dress wear.

\$1.25 Imported Pongee, 98c

Genuine Japanese all-silk Tan Pongee, in natural finish. 33 inches wide, in a good weight.

\$1.98 Colored Taffeta, \$1.69

Strong, 36-inch wide Taffeta silk, the good shades, including tan and gray. Bright finish and special for Wednesday.

Third Floor

Among the Special Values Tomorrow Are Infants' Crib Blankets

Special **\$1.00** at.....

If a layette is being assembled or if baby needs an extra Crib Blanket here is an opportunity to buy one at a saving. Pink and blue with white nursery figures, finished with shell stitching, size 30x40 inches.



Infants' Flannelette Gowns, 49c

Practical, warm garments of good quality white flannelette with pink or blue stitching and drawstring hem; infants' size only.

White Wicker Toilet Baskets, \$2.95

With scalloped top and full round handle; can be daintily trimmed with ribbon for a practical and very pretty gift.

Infants' Flannelette Petticoats, 69c

Made in Gertrude style of heavy quality flannelette with hem and shell stitching; infants' size only.

Third Floor—Use New 6th or 7th St. Elevators

Women's Hosiery

Including Everwear Hose and Other Popular Makes

Women will be keenly interested in these worthwhile hosiery values. Included are three groups of the well-known and popular "Everwear" Hose, at savings well worth while.

Silk-Plaited "Everwear" Hose, 50c

Is seamless style, with silk-plaited boot. Lisle garter tops and reinforced feet. In white and colors.

"Surety" Silk Hose, \$2

Full fashioned, of pure thread silk. Elastic lisle garter tops, high spliced heels, double soles and toes. In black, white, brown and the popular shades of gray. We are the exclusive distributors of Surety Hose in St. Louis.

Chiffon Silk Hose, \$3

Fine gauge weight, chiffon silk hose. Full fashioned, with double garter welt and reinforced feet. Shown in black, brown and gray.

"Everwear" Cotton Hose, 25c

Medium weight, with cotton hemmed tops and reinforced feet. Shown in black and white.

Main Floor

Laundry Needs

At Very Special Prices

On Wednesday we offer many necessities for the laundry at prices too special to be overlooked. Purchases made from the following groups will result in worth-while savings.

- \$1.65 Washboards; large size; with handle; heavy galvanized iron. 91c
- 60c Washboards; full size; "Silver King" brand. 31c
- \$3 Clothes Baskets; good size; all willow woven. \$2.05
- \$6.25 Clothes Wringers; wood frame; easy running. \$4.45
- \$2.60 Ironing Boards; 6 feet long and extra wide. \$1.84
- \$11.50 Laundry Stoves; 4-hole tops; of heavy cast iron. \$7.55
- Wash Boilers with slight imperfections at price \$1.10
- Clotheslines; Keystone Brand; 75 feet long. 74c
- 40c Coalhods; black japan, with bail. 30c
- \$3 Asbestos Sad Iron Sets, with nickel-plated hood. \$1.69
- Washing Powder; large size; Lighthouse brand. 2 packages 51c
- White Flyer Soap; made by Armour & Co.; large cakes; 10 cakes 49c

No phone or mail orders filled on Soap or Washing Powder.

Basement Gallery

Suits in the Newest Spring Styles



Featured in Three Groups at

\$49.75 \$59.75 and \$75.00

With Spring styles well established, one can choose with perfect assurance of being entirely satisfied with their selection. And especially is this true when selection is made from such a comprehensive variety as we are showing, which affords every opportunity for buying the Suit that is most becoming to you.

You will appreciate the high quality of these Suits, too, and every one is a full value. Ripple, belted and box models are here in the smartest styles fashioned of tricotine, velour checks, twill cords, Poirer twill, covert and hairline stripes, with effective trimmings or tailored touches, according to the style.

Extra-Size Suits, Coats and Dresses

In a special shop we are showing Spring apparel in models expressly designed to meet the needs of women requiring extra-size garments. They have the style and finish that mark the tasteful dresser, and every garment reflects a new Spring style that is suitable for a large woman.

Fourth Floor—Use New Sixth or Seventh St. Elevators

Don't Overlook the Extra Values That Are Now Being Offered in the

Martha Washington Apron Sale

The styles are so pretty, there is such a wide variety for selection, and the values are so unusual that every woman and miss should profit by the opportunity to buy Aprons at a saving.

At **85c**

Black Satin Aprons in the regulation style for office wear; open skirt effect with snap fastening and pockets; all sizes.

At **97c**

Dress Aprons in novelty reverse and belt styles, made of Scout percale, white striped gingham on pink and blue grounds and Polly Prim in yellow, pink and blue plaids with full gathered skirt, long, wide sashes and black saten binding. Band Aprons of gingham, made with ruffle. Novelty sleeveless full-skirt Aprons, Dress Aprons with wide fitted belts and sashes.

At **\$1.19**

Dress Aprons in slipover and other pretty styles with reverse fronts, sailor collars, sashes, belts and fitted fronts; made of attractive plaid gingham. Sleeveless Aprons with side fastenings and wide belt, made of green Amoskeag gingham with plaid binding. Novelty Aprons with sides entirely trimmed with ruffles and attractive pockets.



At **\$1.95**

Novelty Aprons of gingham with panel front, white point edge ruffle trimming and others have ruffled trimmed sleeves; many finished with rick-rack. Also Aprons of excellent Bates and Amoskeag gingham in smart tailored styles.

Third Floor—Use New 6th or 7th Street Elevators

Women's Aprons, Special at \$2.50, \$2.95, \$3.50 and \$3.95

Very attractive Perry Aprons of Japanese crepe that are quite youthful in effect. Mina Taylor and other high-grade Dress Aprons of excellent materials and smart style, trimmed in various ways. Regular and extra sizes.

Wednesday in the Basement Economy Store—Sale of

Women's House Dresses



\$2.69 to \$3.95 Qualities \$1.95

These garments, besides being very practical and serviceable, are very attractive, and will appeal to the woman who likes to look neat while doing her housework. Well made of plaid gingham or light or dark percales, in a host of various styles. Large or small collars, long sleeves and one or two pockets. Skirts are cut full and finished with deep hems. Regular and a limited quantity of extra sizes.

Women's Aprons

\$1.29 and \$1.49 95c Qualities.....

Exceptionally well made fancy Dress Aprons; made of good grade standard percale, assorted light and dark indigos. Included are open front and side front effects, also button-back and shoulder fastening effects. Have neat belt pockets and are rick-rack trimmed.

Polly Prim Aprons

98c Value... 69c

Choice of slipover or tie-back sash styles of gingham and percale in plaids, stripes and figures; also solid colors. Finished with two pockets.

Women's Aprons, 50c

Large kitchen and small fancy Aprons of fancy percales and checked gingham. Bound edges or rick-rack trimming. Exceptional values.

Crepe Kimonos, \$1.95

Large assortment of floral designs of serpentine crepe; Japanese sleeves. Satin trimmed collars and cuffs. All sizes.

Dressing Sacques, 59c

\$1 and \$1.25 value. Made of fancy fleece back material with peplum or elastic waists. Big collars and long sleeves. All sizes.

Basement Economy Store



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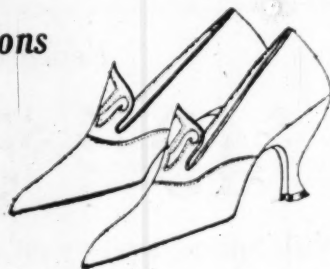
Brandt's Advance Sale New Spring Footwear

BRANDT-PLANNED to be the first complete showing of Spring's authentic, smarter styles for women—to be your greatest buying opportunity for SPRING.



Exclusive Spring Fashions

\$11.85



For example—the above smart combination in patent and gray suede, also in all-over gray or black suede, brown or black satin or brown calf. Choice, \$11.85.

For example—the above graceful Colonial of true individuality and refinement. Featured with contrasting inlay in gray or black suede or brown kid. Choice \$11.85.

New Spring

Strap Pumps and 3-Eyelet Oxfords; in the new leathers; featured at

\$9.85



Smarter Spring Oxfords

\$6.85



For example, the above decidedly distinctive Spring Brogue Oxford; military or Cuban leather; of Spring-tone brown calfskin; featured at \$6.85.

For example, the above Spring Walking Oxford, straight or wing tip; in brown or black suede, brown or black calf or kid; choice, \$6.85.

Chiffon Hose

De Luxe quality, all-silk, full-fashioned; polo grays, brown, and blacks; special at

\$2.95

618 Washington Av.

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Stewart's

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St. Louis Women Are Simply Amazed by STEWART'S

Sample Suit Sale

\$45.00 Sample Suits
\$49.00 Sample Suits

\$65.00 Sample Suits
\$75.00 Sample Suits



Finest Quality Tricotine
Suits and Newest Point
Twill Suits—High-
Grade Men's-Wear
Serge
Beaded and Embroidered
Suit Models
Braid-Bound Suits
Tailleurs
New Box-Coat Styles
Silk Braid and Silver
Stitched Effects

\$35

Never were the women and misses of this city treated to such a sale as this—and it took STEWART'S to do it! Friendly manufacturers (whose Suits are sold in the exclusive, expensive shops) sold us their Sample Room Suits at a price that barely covers the cost of the original designing.

There shouldn't be a woman or miss in all St. Louis who will pass by this opportunity! In all our experience we have never seen SAMPLE SUITS of this high-grade selling at so low a price as \$35.00! See the Window Displays.

Select Your Easter Suit NOW!

STEWART'S

2800 SIGNATURES FROM THE COUNTY FOR ANNEXATION

Lists From Wellston, Maplewood, Midland and Richmond Heights, Pine Lawn and Hi-Pointe.

Emphatic testimony to the fact that a large number of the residents of St. Louis County, in communities adjacent to the city, desire annexation to the city of St. Louis, was given last night at a meeting at the Chamber of Commerce by representative citizens of various county communities, who turned in at the meeting petitions to that effect signed by more than 2800 voters of the county.

The meeting was called by the Chamber of Commerce and the Million Population Club to arrange to have large delegations from St. Louis and the county go to Jefferson City to appear tomorrow night before the House Committee on County Boundaries in support of House bill No. 569, which would enable the county and the city to vote on proposals for annexation. The meeting, which was attended by about 60 men, also included representatives of the North St. Louis Business Men's Association, Manufacturers' Association of St. Louis, West End Business Men's Association and the Tenth Ward Improvement Association. A resolution was adopted endorsing the bill pending in the Legislature and urging members of the Legislature to support it.

Signers in Six Communities. The petitions included 1178 signatures from Wellston, 660 from Maplewood, 600 from Midland Heights, 300 from Richmond Heights, 100 from Pine Lawn and 100 from Hi-Pointe. The men who circulated them reported that many more signatures could have been obtained if more time had been available. Louis H. Plogstedt, who circulated petitions in Midland Heights, reported that 100 per cent of the persons he approached signed, not one refusing. In Richmond Heights 95 per cent of those approached were said to have signed.

George Scott of Maplewood said that nearly all the residents of his neighborhood were in favor of annexation. He declared that under present conditions they get no return for the taxes they pay and that they would gladly pay higher taxes if they could have the conveniences and accommodations of the city. An instance of the present neglect he told of a bridge in his vicinity that had been broken down for two years and which has no lights to warn motorists and others of the danger. Repeated appeals to the Maplewood and county authorities to repair it have been without avail, he said.

High Insurance Rate Cited. Plogstedt said that in Midland Heights no community improvement had ever been obtained except by private subscription. He said that after trying for many years to get some lights the community finally raised \$2200 to maintain 24 lights for a year. He also cited the high fire insurance rates in the county, declaring that he paid a premium of \$40.70 a year for \$1000 insurance on his furniture. He said that while canvassing for signatures to the petition he found the women more eager than the men for annexation.

Joseph M. O'Connor of Maplewood declared that 90 per cent of the Maplewood residents were heartily in favor of annexation. Alexander Campbell and G. H. Force spoke for Wellston. They were of the opinion that that community with a population of about 15,000, was almost unanimous for union with the city.

R. B. Bywater of Midland Heights stated that he intended to go to Jefferson City to urge the passage of the enabling act and that he believed all other adjacent communities should be represented there.

Charles H. Diehl of the Chamber of Commerce, who was chairman of the committee, inquired as to what communities would send representatives. Promises were made by men present that the following communities would be represented: Wellston, Midland Heights, Maplewood and Richmond Heights. St. Louisans who said they would go were former Judge Samuel Rosenfeld, Otto Karbe, Hugh K. Wagner and Diehl.

City's Side Presented. Rosenfeld spoke briefly from the standpoint of the city, declaring that St. Louis is "bound like a Chinese girl's foot" by the "dead hands" that wrote the Constitution of 1870. He called attention to the fact that while this city's boundaries have remained the same since 1870, other American cities have taken in great areas of territory and vastly increased their populations. He declared there should be no objection to the pending legislation because it would give full opportunity to the residents of the county, the incorporated communities affected, and to the people of St. Louis to express

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their will by vote before any annexation proposal could become effective. The delegation going to Jefferson City will depart at 9 a. m. tomorrow and will return Thursday morning.

Burgos Archbishop to Be Cardinal.
ROME, Feb. 22.—Monsignor Ben-Hoch y Vijo, Archbishop of Burgos, Spain, will be created a Cardinal at the March consistory. It is officially announced at the Vatican.

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Expect to find the
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An Interesting Spring Feature Women's New Tailored Suits, \$25, \$39.75, \$49.75

Choice of Tweed Mix-
tures, Tweed Checks,
Serge Tricotine.



It is a most gratifying
suit collection that we
have to offer you at these
little prices. Just think!
Vandervoort Tailored
Suits in good-looking and
authentic Spring styles,
finely tailored of the sea-
son's desired materials.

A visit is going to prove
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trim velvet checks, especially
desirable for sports wear, at
\$25. The tweed mixtures and
the men's wear serge models at
\$39.75, and the braid-bound
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Notch or roll collars; good
range of sizes.

Suits Shop—Third Floor.

Have You Visited Our Sale of Oriental Rugs

You Can Save From 20
to 45%

If you have been too busy;
you should no longer delay;
for the values offered here
are the most unusual obtain-
able for many months.

The colorings and designs
are up to the usual standard
of the inimitable Oriental
artists, and the prices asked
are lower than you would
imagine. All the wanted
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Oriental Rug Shop—

Fourth Floor.

Domestic Rugs for Spring

Will be needed in many
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prices are just right.

The values in Domestic
Rugs will convince you that
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Seamless Velvets, Axmin-
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Domestic Rug Shop—

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Of course if you get a re-
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Herlick Refrigerators, one
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Investigate this sale.
Basement Shop—House-
furnishings.

New Ribbons in a Sale

75c Two-Tone
Ribbon, 35c Yard

11-inch two-tone Satin
Ribbon for dress trimming
and millinery; in a wide
variety of colors.

65c Moire Antique
Hair Ribbon, 39c

5 inches wide and comes
in white, pink, light blue,
maize, taupe, gold, cerise,
Nile green, scarlet, black,
navy, brown.

\$1.00 to \$1.75
Striped and Plaid
Ribbon, 8c

7-inch Taffeta Ribbon in
various lovely patterns and
colors. Also plain 7-inch
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Brocade Ribbon,
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In gorgeous floral and
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Ribbon Shop—First Floor.

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Comforters covered with
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Bedding Shop—Second Floor.

Exceptional Values in Black Silks

A lustrous black silk
frock always "fits in"
the Spring wardrobe, and
these values are truly ex-
ceptional.

\$2.50 Black Chiffon
Taffeta, 36 inch, only a
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\$3.50 Black Charmeuse
(40 inch), now, a yard \$2.75

36-inch Black Satin, for
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The Silk Shop—

Second Floor.

New Ruffled Voile Curtains

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Curtain Marquisette,
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450 yards of new fillet
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white, ivory, ecru and beige.
45c and 50c a yard; now
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Drapery Shop—Fourth Floor.

Men's Shoes \$5.65

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this community. Have
you received any of the
benefit? Because of the
large original quantity
you still have all styles
and a good range of sizes,
though not all in each
style, from which to
select. Profit at once, it
will soon be too late.

Men's Shoe Shop—Second

Floor.

\$1.25 for Shirts

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Men's Furnishings Shop—

First Floor.

WIZARD Wall Duster



No cobwebs or dust will
linger on walls that are
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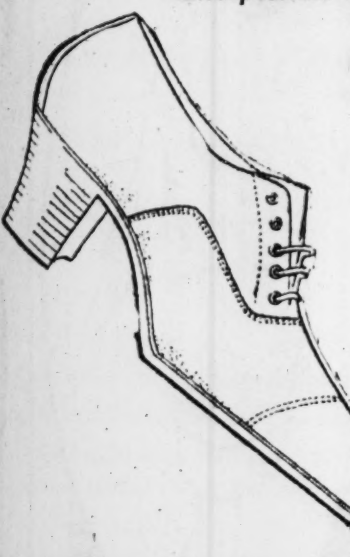
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LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS TO GIVE TEA

Event in Honor of Women Submitted by Petition as Candidates for School Board.

An event of tomorrow which will interest society is the tea to be given by the League of Women Voters in the Hotel Statler ballroom from 3 to 5 o'clock, honoring Misses R. P. Bush, Elias Michael, Norman Windsor and J. A. Mowrey, whose names have been submitted by popular petition as candidates for the vacancies on the local School Board. Patronesses and hostesses for the tea include the following: Misses George Gellhorn, E. T. Senseney, C. R. Farris, Harry E. Sprague, Fred L. Engle, Aaron S. Rauh, Ernest W. Stix, J. Alex Goodwin, Charles Swinney, Charles M. Hay, Thomas G. Ratcliffe, Fred Roth, D. O. Ives, Roscoe Anderson, Louis J. Brooks, Alvin Bauman, Leslie Thompson, Fred J. Taussig, John S. Payne, W. T. Donavan, W. A. Layman, Alexander S. Wolf, Charles Rice, Carol Bates and Misses May Shannon, Mary Semple Scott and Fannie D. Robb.

Social Items

Miss Martha Kingsland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Kingsland, 6034 West Cabanne place, is telling her friends of her engagement to Charles Edward Richardson. Miss Kingsland was educated at Mary Institute and Washington University, and entered society informally. She served as maid of honor at the 1915, 1919 and 1920 Veiled Prophet balls. Mr. Richardson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Russell A. Richardson of 4905 Argyle place. He was educated at Washington University and is a member of the Kappa Sigma fraternity and University Club. During the war he served in the navy. The wedding will take place early in March.

One of the interesting social at-

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THE BENISH WAY
TODAY**

SHE ENTERTAINED WITH AN INFORMAL TEA TODAY



Miss Florence McTague

Tea on today's calendar was the bridge luncheon given for 40 guests by Mrs. Henry Menzenwerth Jr. of 702 Westgate avenue at the home of Mrs. Henry Menzenwerth Sr., 3238 Copelin avenue.

An informal tea was given today by the members of the Barr Branch Study Club, N. C. M., at the home of Congressman and Mrs. L. C. Dyer, 3337 Lafayette avenue, for the benefit of the Child Conservation Scholarship Fund. Oriental costumes were worn by the guests. Mrs. Dyer and her daughters were assisted in receiving by Misses Arthur Burr, L. M. Parrot, L. C. Davis, J. L. Bischoff, P. Stupp, S. C. Bryant, G. Coombes, C. P. Peuch, A. Spalding, J. Stupp and Miss Alice Vaughn. Mrs. J. C. Addis was chairman of the Committee of Arrangements.

Mr. and Mrs. George F. Powell of 4440 Maryland avenue will depart tomorrow for Havana, Cuba. They will return late in March, spending a few days in Florida en route.

Miss Idella Bush of 5834 Waterman avenue will entertain with an informal bridge party this evening. There will be four tables for cards.

Mrs. G. E. Herring and little daughter, Jeanne Louise, of 5823 Farmer avenue, departed Saturday for St. Petersburg, Fla. They will visit for a time with friends in Georgia.

Among the Washington birthday entertainments of today was the sewing bee given at the Visitation Academy, Belt and Chabanne avenues, in honor of the members of the Alumnae Association.

Members of the Kappa Alpha Theta sorority of Washington University entertained today with a tea at the home of Miss Emma Petring, 4548 West Pine boulevard.

A wedding announcement of interest here is that of Miss Vera Wells of San Francisco, Cal., and Samuel Francis Joyce Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Joyce, 21 West Cedar street, Webster Groves, in San Francisco, Feb. 2. The young couple met while attending Stanford University. They will reside in San Francisco.

SYMPHONY TO START ON FIRST TOUR OF SEASON TOMORROW

Orchestra Will Give Two Concerts at University of Illinois and Two at Bloomington.

The St. Louis Symphony Orchestra will leave tomorrow morning for its first out-of-town tour this season. Tomorrow afternoon and night it will give two concerts at the University of Illinois. On Thursday afternoon it will play a matinee school concert, of popular quality, at Bloomington, and on the same night will give a symphony concert under the auspices of the Bloomington Rotary Club.

Acting Director Fischer will direct all of the concerts, and Michel Guzikoff, concertmaster, will be soloist at the two evening concerts, playing on both occasions the D'Amore concerto for violin, in B minor.

This will be the orchestra's seventh annual visit to the University of Illinois, which gives a series of symphony concerts each year. The orchestra appearing this year, besides the St. Louis organization, are the New York Symphony Society, the Chicago Symphony Orchestra and the Cincinnati Symphony Orchestra.

Because of the tour, this week's high school concert will be given on Friday, instead of Wednesday, at Yeatman High School.

Two Men Held After Fire.
SPRINGFIELD, Mo., Feb. 22.—Jerome S. Stephens was arrested on a charge of arson and Don Prater on a charge of being an accomplice, at Mountain View, yesterday, after a lumber yard owned by Stephens was destroyed by fire, more than 200,000 feet of oak lumber being burned. A volunteer bucket brigade took water from a nearby pond and dipped it so low that several new oil cans were revealed. Prater admitted burning \$15 worth of kerosene for Stephens at West Plains.

Vienna Singer to Appear in U. S.
By the Associated Press.
NEW YORK, Feb. 22.—Madame Selma Kurz, for many years prima

donna for the Vienna Opera, has been engaged to sing at the Metropolitan Opera House here next season.

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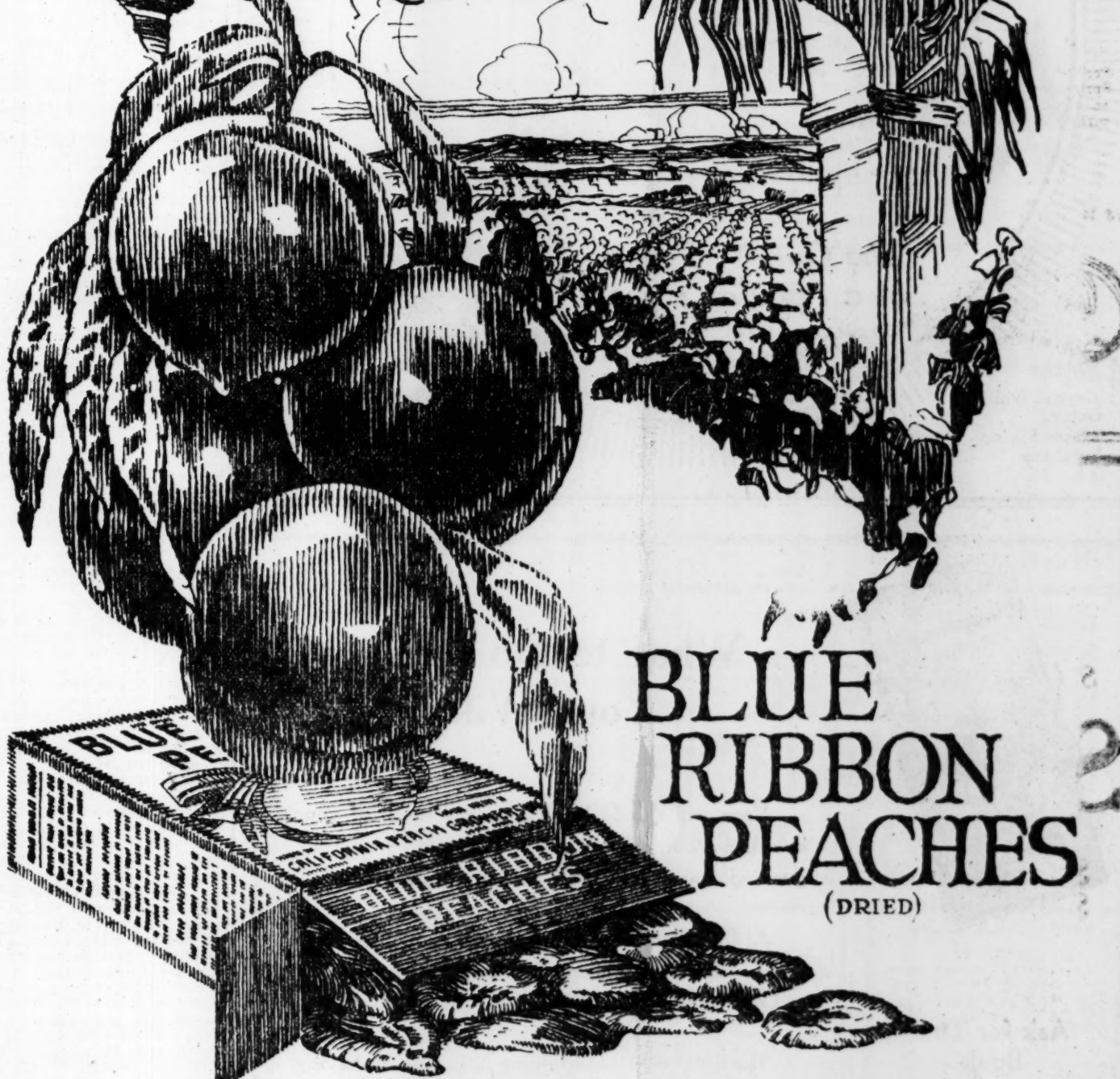
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CLEARING HOUSE MANAGER QUILTS

White Joins New England Oil Corporation of Boston.

White, for seven years manager of the St. Louis Clearing House,

has resigned to become associated with the New England Oil Corporation of Boston. He will depart Saturday. R. H. Tilley, assistant manager, has been made acting manager until a new manager is chosen.

the Committee on Management. White entered the employ of the Clearing House as assistant manager in 1908, in which year the clearings totaled \$2,075,000,000, as compared with \$3,294,000,000, the total clearings for 1920.

TESTIMONY ON VALUATION TAKEN AT GRADE HEARING

Appraiser Says Damage to Property From Elimination of Wabash Crossing Would Total \$83,886.

Testimony as to the value of property fronting on a portion of Delmar boulevard, in the vicinity of the Wabash Railroad grade crossing was offered the Public Service Commission by the city yesterday in the first day of the hearing on the matter of the elimination of this grade crossing.

Other testimony was in regard to the probable damages to the abutting property by reason of the proposed viaduct and the benefits also accruing.

The hearing is being held in the Board of Public Service chamber at the city hall before Commissioners Flad and Bean. The city is seeking to end a nine-year struggle for the crossing elimination by obtaining an order for depression of the tracks and erection of a street viaduct. The railroad has made a counter-proposal to build an elevated structure on its line through Forest Park and beyond Delmar boulevard.

Real Value Placed at \$184,500. L. Roy Bowen, chief engineer of bridges and buildings for the Board of Public Service, said the viaduct would be about two blocks long, extending from a point 235 feet west of Hamilton avenue to a point 235 feet west of Rosedale avenue. At present the abutting property on this section of the street has a real-valuation of \$184,500 and an assessed valuation of \$122,000, he said. From this the city's share of taxes is \$136.50 a year.

Theodore Hemmelmann Jr. of the Hemmelmann-Spachler Real Estate Co., who qualified as an expert real estate appraiser, and who was engaged by the City Comptroller to appraise the benefits and damages to this property, gave his direct testimony yesterday, being questioned by City Comptroller Flad.

Damage Placed at \$83,886. Hemmelmann said the consequential damage to abutting real estate by reason of the erection of the viaduct would be \$83,886.50. However, he figured the benefits to the same group of property as \$36,705.37, which would make the net damages \$47,181.13. The city is willing to pay the consequential damages, but will ask that the railroad bear most of the erection expense.

Commissioner Flad asked Hemmelmann to illustrate his method of figuring, which he did, as follows: The lot on the northeast corner of Delmar boulevard and Hodiament avenue fronts 122 feet on the former street and 180 feet on the latter, and is now vacant. Hemmelmann assumed that the lot would be most available for three stores on Hodiament avenue and seven on Delmar boulevard, with apartments above. He allowed for an extra high foundation and for filling the lot so that the cellar and back yard would be at the viaduct level.

The present of Delmar boulevard and the railroad tracks is now unavailable, because the River des Peres meanders through it. With the elimination of the grade crossing the city would have the river's course straightened and made to pass through a culvert. This lot could then be used. Hemmelmann pointed out that approaches to the viaduct would have to be built for Hodiament, Rosedale and the Olivette avenue.

Persons inspecting the vicinity of the grade crossing often remark on parallel masonry walls on either side of the River des Peres about 200 yards northwest of the crossing. Here, over 20 years ago, the old Lindell Railway, then operating the Delmar line, proposed to build a carshed, since it owned land on each side of the troublesome river. Neither of the two plots was big enough by itself. The stone walls, standing about 10 feet above the banks, were erected and the shed was to have been built over them, with tracks at an angle to the river, but the plan was abandoned.

Traffic Held Up. President Kinsey of the Board of Public Service was called by Commissioner Flad and testified that Delmar boulevard is one of the major thoroughfares, an important traffic artery, under the scheme of the City Plan Commission and by virtue of its situation. He said he considers the grade crossing especially dangerous and noted that the location of the railroad station causes a stoppage of traffic every time a train stops there. He said vehicular traffic is increasing 20 to 25 per cent annually on all the city streets.

R. C. Galt, engineer for the Street Department, who supervised counts of the traffic at this point and elsewhere, said that the increase in automobile traffic on all the streets had been 40 per cent from 1919 to 1920.

Down estimated the time lost by each street car flagging across the Wabash tracks as 45 seconds, and estimating the number of passengers, said this caused a day loss of 412 1/2 passenger-hours. Assuming an average time value of 50 cents an hour he said this one feature of the grade crossing's disadvantages caused an annual loss of \$15,000.

He said the train did hit the car and injured three or four persons, one of whom died several months later from this or another cause. The hearing will be continued at 10 a. m. tomorrow, no session being held today because of the holidays.

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Search for Missing Man in Alaska. By the Associated Press. ANCHORAGE, Alaska, Feb. 21.—Relief parties will be sent from here to search for Dr. J. B. Brown.

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POPULATION OF CITY MOVING TO WEST END WARDS

City Plan Commission Issues Figures on Residents Per Acre, by Wards, as Shown by Last Census.

A heavy movement of population from downtown wards to West End wards in the last 10 years is shown in figures compiled by the City Plan Commission and made public today. Eighteen of the 23 wards showed an increase in the density of population and the 19 others showed a decrease in 1920 as compared with 1910.

The commission's figures show the acreage, the number of persons to the acre and the percentage of increase or decrease in the population density.

For the entire city, comprising 34,897 acres, the figures show that the number of persons per acre in 1910 was 34.8 and in 1920 was 35.4, an increase of less than 1 per cent.

Density in Larger Wards.

The largest two wards in the city show the smallest number of persons per acre. These are the First Ward with an area of 4204 acres and 5.9 persons to the acre, and the Twenty-fourth Ward with 5988 acres and 8 persons to the acre. The First is in the northeastern and the Twenty-fourth in the southwestern portion of the city.

The Twenty-eighth Ward shows the largest percentage of increase. With an area of 1628 acres it has 29.5 persons to the acre, compared with 17 in 1910. The percentage of increase is 12.9.

The Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, Seventh and Eighth, all downtown wards, showed decreases in population density. The Nineteenth Ward, in the north central section of the city, showed the largest density, 68.4 persons to the acre, compared with 61.8 in 1910.

Figures by Wards.

The following are the commission's figures on population density by wards:

Ward	Area	Persons per Acre 1910	Persons per Acre 1920	Per Cent Change
1	4204	5.9	5.9	0
2	308	30.3	31.3	3.3
3	354	17.0	16.0	-5.9
4	594	42.9	32.0	-25.4
5	307	27.0	27.0	0
6	481	44.3	37.3	-15.8
7	317	47.3	41.8	-11.6
8	1003	24.3	22.8	-6.2
9	3130	15.8	15.3	-3.2
10	450	25.6	21.5	-16.0
11	455	34.1	30.3	-11.2
12	369	61.8	58.4	-5.5
13	211	52.0	52.0	0
14	602	30.3	30.3	0
15	1663	4.8	5.3	10.4
16	1200	4.8	5.3	10.4
17	351	5.5	5.5	0
18	351	5.5	5.5	0
19	1628	29.5	29.5	0
20	1628	29.5	29.5	0
21	1628	29.5	29.5	0
22	1628	29.5	29.5	0
23	1628	29.5	29.5	0

COUNTRY DAY SCHOOL HEAD DIES AT BARNES HOSPITAL

Rollin McCulloch Gallagher, 36 years old, of 3474 Clements avenue, head master of the St. Louis Country Day School, died yesterday at Barnes Hospital following an illness of two weeks from a complication of diseases. He was a graduate of Harvard University, and recently was elected vice president of the Harvard Club of St. Louis.

Funeral services will be at 3 p. m. tomorrow at the Church of the Messiah, Union boulevard and Eighth avenue. The body will then be taken to Boston, where he was born, for burial.

Gallagher came to St. Louis to assume the position with the St. Louis Country Day School in the fall of 1919. Since his graduation from college he had given all his time to the education and the building up of the health and character of boys. He was house master at the Middlesex School, near Boston, for many years, and 12 years ago he established a summer camp for boys near Fitzwilliam, N. H., which he had maintained since that time. He is survived by his wife and three children.

ACQUITTED OF BURGLARY CHARGE

Mike Tibert, 35 years old, was acquitted yesterday afternoon by a jury in the Circuit Court of a charge of burglary and larceny growing out of the theft of an automobile the last Oct. 18 from the garage of Charles McGeehe, 2619 Chouteau avenue.

A witness testified that he saw Tibert give the tire to Tibert a few minutes before the latter was arrested when placing the tire on his own automobile. A negro testified that he saw the man who removed the tire from McGeehe's garage and that Tibert did not resemble him.

MORE SNOW IN NEW YORK

By the Associated Press.
NEW YORK, Feb. 22.—New York, after having suffered two days as a result of one of the most severe snowstorms in years, awoke this morning to find a second heavy fall in progress.

More than 20,000 snow-fighters, who, with improved snow-moving apparatus, worked throughout the night in an effort to clear streets, set in anew when the big flakes began to fall at 7 o'clock.

WASHINGTONS WOULD CLOSE BURIAL PLOT

By the Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, Feb. 22.—The Washington family wants the family burial plot in Mount Vernon closed to the public and the names of the Conrads, who are descended from some of the Washingtons, removed from the monument in the enclosure, according to George Steptoe Washington, who spoke before the Colonial Association of Nazareth Hall, a school here, last night. Washington's parents were descended from two brothers of the first President.

Recalling that the family burial plot was not included in the sale of Mount Vernon to the association which now owns it, Washington said: "The family reserves the right to close off this space at any time, and to inter the two bodies of George Washington and his wife—and once interred, they will not be viewed. The association and the public have no rights on this half acre. The association without any right, allowed the Conrads to put the names of some deceased members on the monument in this reserved space. These names will have to be removed."

Some of the Conrads, whose names appear on the monument are not buried there, he said.

Dealing with the Washingtons in the world war, Mr. Washington said that many of the young men had enlisted in the army as privates.

"One of my cousins," he said, "has nine sons and all enlisted in the late war. Two went to Russia and four to France and Italy."

"There are few Washingtons in public life. I suppose that they feel that the example set is too great to live up to. There is one who is an Admiral."

"Going back to George Washington—did you ever stop to think what was the greatest act of his life? I believe the accepted thought of his family is that his greatest act was to live up to it."

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Men's Dress Shirts, with soft cuffs; cut extra full, and made of fine count percale; a fine pattern; sizes 14 to 17; special.
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35c Indian Head
Bleached Indian Head; 36 in. wide; special sale; yard...
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25c Toweling; heavy unbleached, linen finished; 18 inches wide; special price; yard...
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24 inch, wool-mixed Shephard Check Suits; neat black and white. Good checks for children's dresses and coats; extra special.
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85c Poplins
Silk and linen high luster Poplins; 54 inches wide; in Spring shades...
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Yard-wide Chiffon Taffetas in leading spring shades including navy and brown which are so scarce; a yard...
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Fast-color Shirting Cheviots; neat checks and stripes; in blue and white; styles; yard, at...
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Yard wide; a great bargain. Fine ribbed plain color cotton dress Poplins; in nearly all shades...
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Women's Bungalow Aprons; made of good quality gingham; assorted styles and patterns; special...
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Women's Main Gowns—long or short sleeves; nicely made; splendid value; each...
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MAYOR TO LIGHT NEW PARK LIGHTS TONIGHT

Ceremony to Accompany Replacing of Old Gasoline System With 937 Electrical Units.

The ceremony of turning on the new electric lights in Forest Park, at 5 o'clock this evening, will be held in a stand on the east "wing" of Art Hill, one of the projections of the hill where sightseers go to view the city. A large portion of the park is visible from this point. The 937 new lights are replacing gasoline lights.

Mayor Kiel, who will be introduced by Circuit Judge Landwehr, will make a brief talk, not of a political nature, and will press a button which will turn on all the new lights simultaneously. Electricians who have worked on the installation have arranged for a band to play at the ceremony. Dodgers attending it have been prepared at the personal expense of Director of Public Utilities Hooker, who is in charge of the installation of the 937 electric lights in parks and outlying districts.

Only a small portion of the gasoline lights will be lighted this evening, in lanes from the Tamm, Schaefer and De Balguy avenue entrances of the park to Art Hill. These will later be extinguished. Floodlights on the Art Museum will help guide spectators.

The Art Museum will be open from 7:30 to 10 p. m. and a number of new acquisitions will be displayed. The painting "Torn Linen," by Frederick C. Frieseke, has been recently returned from Chicago, where it received three important awards. Ninety miles of underground cable were laid in the park for the new lights.

ROGER GRAY'S STOCK COMPANY RETURNS TO MUSICAL COMEDY

Gives Lively, if Somewhat Rough, First Night Performance of "Very Good, Eddie."

Roger Gray's stock company has returned to musical comedy this week, and gave, last night, at the Pershing Theater, a lively, if somewhat rough, first-night performance of the Woodhouse-Bolton-Kern success of some seasons ago, "Very Good, Eddie." There was considerable untimely humor, such as dance falling over their own feet and furniture collapsing under the actors at sentimental moments.

The story is about two honeymoon couples who get mixed up in a Russian River steamboat, and undergo various complications at the Rip Van Winkle Inn. Charles Compton, the company's new juvenile, who succeeds Barbour Halliday, gave an excellent portrayal of the mollycoddle hero, Eddie Kettle. Mary Killoyne was his terminant bride. The other two honeymooners were well played by Miss Walton and Louis Templeman.

Ellen Best has another character part this week, that of Mme. Maupré, a vocal teacher, with a knack for forgetting other people's names. Edna Wakefield takes the soubrette part, that of Elsie Lilly, a singing pupil; her duet, with Henry Antrim, "Nodding Roses," was one of the best song pieces of the evening.

Roger Gray, as a hard-boiled hotel clerk, spurred the entertainment on whenever it flagged, sang an interpolated song, "A Dollar Down and a Dollar a Week," of which the audience could scarcely get enough, and did a burlesque dance with Miss Best. Dan Marble has a brief black-face part, with a clever song and dance. Matt Hanley is a comedy Frenchman; and Misses McCune and Brinkley, of the chorus, have a spirited burlesque. A catchy song, "Babe in the Wood," the musical feature of the play, is sung by Miss Walton and Compton.

This offering will continue until next Monday night, when the company will present an original revue, "Sensations of 1921," with book by Gray and tunes by Ross Mobley. In one skit, Gray will play Mayor Kiel, and Hanley his opponent, Col. Robert Burkham. If the production proves popular, the "Sensations" will run two weeks.

LANKY FRANK KELLAM GETS ORPHEUM LAUGHS

Eddie Leonard and Lydia Barry Add Melody and Fun to the Bill.

There is a long wait for a gleam of humor on this week's bill at the Orpheum before the lanky Frank Kellam ambles on and literally chases the blues away. Patricia O'Dare's beauty makes a good foil for his superlative foolishness. Kellam combines with his other qualities an excellent speaking voice and considerable singing ability. He is both like and unlike and his manner of getting about the stage is in itself a complete comedy act.

Another fun maker of capacious good humor is Lydia Barry, as broad as a grin in figure and comedy, telling stories in a style that is all her own and showing remarkable ability for one of her confessed long service on the stage.

That popular exponent of old-time minstrelsy, Eddie Leonard, did his best under the handicap of a severe cold at yesterday's performance. He dances with much of the grace of other days and sings several of the songs which have made him popular. He is aided by Stewart and Olive, youthful dancers.

A novelty is the act of The Three Bobs with a trained cow and a dog that jangles Indian clubs. Lou Reed and Al Tucker have an odd violin duet. Laura Pierpont and her company present a sketch which

gives Miss Pierpont an opportunity to show her ability as a character actress. Miss LaFrel, remarkable performer on the rings and rope, is one of the features of the bill. There is also an act in which two trained seals are the principal performers.

UPPER CENTER OF DECEMBER EARTHQUAKE FIXED IN CHINA

By the Associated Press.
LONDON, Feb. 22.—Records of the great earthquake which shook

many parts of the earth's surface on Dec. 15 and Dec. 16 show that the epicenter, or the point on the earth's surface directly above the focus or origin of the tremor, was at longitude 106 degrees, 5 minutes east,

and latitude 31 degrees, 5 minutes north. This would be close to the Chinese city Ping-Liang, in the Province of Kan-Su. Dr. Herbert Hall Turner, professor of astronomy at Oxford University, collected, accord-

ing to the London Times, records from Sydney, Colombo, the Madak Islands, Calcutta, Heliopolis, Egypt and

Saskatoon, Canada, has arrived at a definite location for the center of the earthquake. It is said, state that towns 100 miles east of the center of the earthquake were badly shaken.

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DO YOU KNOW that in the United States there are 8,887,572 automobiles, of which 7,600,000 are passenger cars and 900,000 are trucks?

DO YOU KNOW that the automobile business has become the second industry in the United States in its volume and that it pays to the Federal Government in special taxes each year \$257,000,000 and that car users pay registration fees each year amounting to \$81,000,000, vast sums, both of them, towards helping to pay the expenses of the government?

DO YOU KNOW that the farmers of the United States own and operate 2,500,000 passenger cars and trucks?

DO YOU KNOW that the registration shows that 60 per cent of the automobiles are owned in the agricultural districts?

DO YOU KNOW that the doctors of the United States own and use in visiting the sick more than 110,000 passenger cars?

DO YOU KNOW that the governments of the forty-eight states in the United States own and use for state business 30,125 passenger cars and trucks and that the cities of the United States, large and small, own 10,314 passenger cars and trucks?

DO YOU KNOW that the farmers of the country are now operating 80,000 trucks and that the labor-saving value of each truck to each farmer annually exceeds \$150 and that the transport charges saved by each firm annually is \$240?

DO YOU KNOW that of all cars used in the United States 90 per cent of their use is for business purposes, and that the gain in business efficiency from the use of the automobile as reported by the average owner is 57 per cent, and that the average increase in doctors' efficiency through the use of automobiles is 104 per cent?

DO YOU KNOW that the amount paid by the automobile industry to the railroads for freight on shipments of finished motor vehicles is annually \$100,000,000?

DO YOU KNOW that in 1920 there were 2,241,000 passenger cars and trucks built in the United States?

DO YOU KNOW that the average wholesale price of passenger cars produced last year was \$897 and the average wholesale price of motor trucks produced was \$1273?

DO YOU KNOW that there are 260 motor car and truck manufacturers in production scattered over thirty-two states, employing 308,000 people paying wages to them of \$815,731,856.00?

DO YOU KNOW that the value of motor vehicles and parts shipped to foreign countries last year was \$338,000,000.00?

DO YOU KNOW that there are 36,210 dealers in passenger cars, 20,596 dealers in motor trucks, 86,094 garages and repair shops in the forty-eight states of the United States?

DO YOU KNOW that St. Louis has recently become the second automobile producing and distributing city in the United States with eight factories here building passenger cars and four factories building motor trucks?

DO YOU KNOW that the leading automobile manufacturers of this country and the experts in the business say that there will be a greater shortage of automobiles during 1921 than was ever known before, due to the fact that nearly all of the factories have been closed for some time?

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Dorris Cars and Trucks

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International-Mack Corp.
Mack Trucks

Johnson Automobile Co.
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Kardell Motor Car Co.
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Lewis Automobile Co.
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F. C. Mayer Motor Co.
Republic Trucks

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McCabe-Powers Carriage Co.
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McNiece-Hill Motor Co.
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Meissner-Skelton Motor Car Co.

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Mid-States Motors Co.
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Newell Motor Car Co.
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Willis-Overland, Inc.
Overland and Willis-Knight

Packard Motor Car Co.
Packard Cars and Trucks

Park Automobile Co.
Gardner and Studebaker

Rex Motor Car Co.
Davis and Maibohm

Rogers-Schmidt Wire and Iron Co.
Rottersmann Auto and Truck Co.

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Standard Automobile Corp.

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Stanwood Motor Car Co.

Stanwood
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Nash Cars and Trucks

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Skelton

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**U. S. INSISTS ON
BEING HEARD
MANDATE TERRITORIES**

Colby Sends Note to League
Council Covering American
Attitude as Previ-
ously Made Known to Britain

ACTS AS ONE OF THE
ASSOCIATED POWERS

State Department Con-
firms It Must Be Heard Re-
gardless of Fact National
League Member.

By the Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, Feb. 22.—The
American Government has pre-
sented to the Council of the
League of Nations its demand that
all associated nations be
granted equal opportunities in manda-
tory territories.

It was announced today
that the State Department has
presented to the Council of the
League of Nations a note which
states that the American Govern-
ment is not prepared to accept
the mandate system as it is now
operating. The note states that
the American Government is
not prepared to accept the manda-
te system as it is now operating
because it is not based on the
principle of self-determination.
The note also states that the
American Government is not
prepared to accept the manda-
te system as it is now operating
because it is not based on the
principle of self-determination.

First Action Before Council
This is the first action taken
by the American Government
since the League of Nations was
formed. It is a note which
states that the American Govern-
ment is not prepared to accept
the mandate system as it is now
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principle of self-determination.

It has been unofficially
stated that the American Govern-
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operating. The note states that
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because it is not based on the
principle of self-determination.

Mr. Auchinloch, British
ambassador in Washington, is
expected to leave for London
tomorrow. He is expected to
present the British note to the
Council of the League of Nations.

Delay Requested Until U. S.
Received.

By the Associated Press.
PARIS, Feb. 22.—Notice
of the League of Nations on the
mandate system was given to the
Council of the League of Nations
today. The notice was in the
form of a letter from Hugh C. Wallis,
American ambassador in London,
to the Council. The letter stated
that the American Government
is not prepared to accept the
mandate system as it is now
operating. The letter also stated
that the American Government
is not prepared to accept the
mandate system as it is now
operating because it is not based
on the principle of self-determi-
nation.

Independent of the Ameri-
can position, consideration of the
mandate system is being postponed
until the April meeting of the
Council. This is because the
British representative, Mr.
Auchinloch, has been postponed
until the April meeting of the
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Council.

SOCIALISTS GAIN IN
Majority Party Holds 95
Seats.

By the Associated Press.
BERLIN, Feb. 22.—Last
night the elections to the
Landtag, held on Sunday,
showed a gain for the majority
Socialist party. With 65 seats out
of 100, the Socialists will be
able to form a government.
The other parties will be
as follows: Nationalists 35
seats, 17, Independent Social
Democrats 22 and various
other parties.

The CITY

Mail Clerk Shot by Robber, Dies.
MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Feb. 12.—Z. E. Strong, railway mail clerk, shot Friday night by a robber, died at a local hospital yesterday. The shooting occurred when Strong refused to obey a command of the robber while the latter was holding up clerks on the mail car on train No. 2, the North Coast Limited, on the Northern Pacific Railroad.

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EIGHT G. O. P. CITY COMMITTEEMEN NOW FOR BURKHAM

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Ward, which is second in size, is dominated by the Mayor, thus far. 25th Ward Votes for Burkham.

The ward and precinct organization of the Twenty-fifth Ward met last night at the home of W. E. Mann, 4519 Olive street, and was addressed by Burkham and Mayor Kiel. The organization voted, with apparent unanimity, to endorse Burkham.

The Twenty-first Ward Regular Republican Club met at Kossuth Hall, 4200 Kossuth avenue, last night, and adopted a resolution endorsing Mayor Kiel's record of eight years in office and urging his reelection.

The Mayor was also endorsed at a meeting in Hagedorn Hall, Fourteenth and Benton streets, which was announced as a meeting of the Third Ward Independent Club.

A report on the recent attempt to organize negro voters in affiliation with the Republican Citizens' Club was received by the club yesterday from Sam Lears, who was chairman of a committee named for that purpose. He said the negroes had refused to affiliate with the club, but that a large number of them appeared to be for Burkham. The club, at its meeting March 2, will vote on endorsement of candidates.

The committee of the Seventeenth Ward Republican Club, appointed to recommend endorsement of candidates, will meet at 4 p. m. tomorrow at Pythian Hall, 3121 Pine street. Ernest Peltz, who was the negro candidate for committeeman in the ward last August, is chairman of the special committee.

Mass Meeting of Negro Voters tonight.

A mass meeting of negro voters will be held tonight at Pore Auditorium, 4200 St. Ferdinand avenue, and will be addressed by Mayor Kiel and other candidates for municipal offices.

DEPUTY SHERIFFS' SALARIES PAID BY COAL COMPANY

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or counties also. Gov. Cornwell gave me his opinion that it does. He also showed me a letter written by the prosecuting attorney of McDowell County, O. L. Counts, in which the statement is made that a man named Houchens is a Deputy Sheriff and also an employee of Baldwin-Felts. The prosecuting attorney ought to know.

Detective Agency at Work.

The "Baldwin-Felts" referred to is the Baldwin-Felts Detective Agency. The headquarters of this agency are in Bluefield, W. Va., which is in the Pocahontas coal field, one of the strong anti-union fields. Thomas L. Felts, a partner in this agency, knows a great deal about the practices of the coal operators, since his agency supplies many of them with private detectives who work in and about the mines.

I called upon Mr. Felts. He told me that he had probably supplied 20 men who had been appointed deputy sheriffs of McDowell County. He gave it as his rough guess that there were between 150 and 200 deputy sheriffs in that county. It is certain that no such number is being paid for out of public funds.

This whole matter has another serious aspect. The mine workers of West Virginia regard the payment of the salaries of these deputies by the operators as an attempt to use the agencies of Government against them.

They see in this arrangement one of the strongest single factors that have so far prevented them from organizing Logan County. They believe that the operators are corrupting the local government in their fight against unionism.

HOUSE KILLS BILL TO GIVE ST. LOUIS POLICE HOME RULE

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ple from the Republican standpoint because it had a Democratic bias. He was for home rule, he said, and so voted.

Representative Killam, Democratic floor leader, asserted that the Kansas City clean-up had consisted largely of demagogues, of Democratic policemen and the removal of some Democratic justices of the Peace, declaring that, after one recent raid on a disorderly resort, Republican officials had "fronted" for persons arrested in the raid.

"Kansas City after its clean-up is little different from three months ago," he said.

NEW BATTALION IS READY

A new battalion, organized as the result of the recent recruiting campaign of the First Regiment, National Guard of Missouri, will drill on Thursday nights at the Armory. Tuesday night is the drill night of the original battalion.

The increase in membership has continued since the active campaign for members ended. Col. Thornton, commanding the St. Louis battalion, hopes to complete, this spring, the reorganization of an all-St. Louis regiment here.

Coolidge Appoints Secretary.

By the Associated Press. NORTHAMPTON, Mass., Feb. 12.—The President-elect Coolidge announced the appointment of Edward T. Clark of this city as his private secretary. Clark, a graduate of Amherst College, is a former secretary to United States Senator Henry Cabot Lodge and a son of the Rev. Isaac Clark, once a pastor of the church attended by Coolidge.

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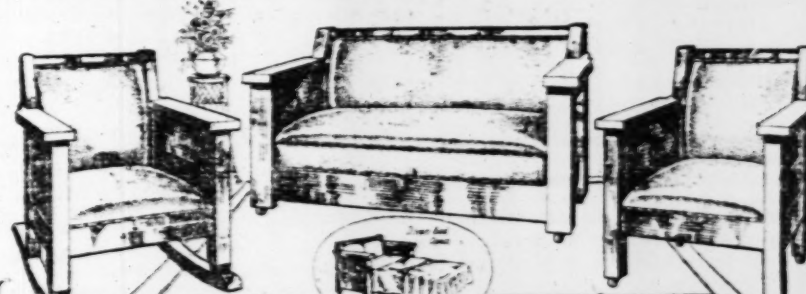
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Were \$150.00—now \$66.75

Buck's Cast-Iron Coal Ranges

Were \$80.00—now \$49.75

Grass Rugs

8x12-ft. were \$4.25

Size 8x12-ft. were \$5.50

Kitchen Tables

Were \$6.00—in this sale \$2.25

Metal-Top Kitchen Tables

Were \$12.50—now \$5.50

Library Tables

Were \$15.00—now \$8.95

Mahogany Piano Stools

Were \$5.00—now \$1.98

All-Metal Carpet Sweepers

Were \$6.50—now \$2.48

Used Music Rolls

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Were \$18.00—now \$9.95

Cedar Chests

Were \$22.00—now \$11.75

Were \$30.00—now \$14.75

Were \$45.00—now \$19.75

Were \$50.00—now \$24.50

Refrigerators

Were \$15.00—now \$9.50

Were \$25.00—now \$12.95

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Brussels Rugs

Were \$35.00—now \$15.75

Were \$45.00—now \$22.50

Were \$60.00—now \$28.75

Were \$85.00—now \$42.50

Bedroom Sets

Were \$175.00—now \$89.00

Were \$250.00—now \$135.00

Were \$350.00—now \$180.00

Were \$450.00—now \$200.00

Moore's Airtight Heaters

Large size—\$45

New Victor Steel Ranges

Were \$85.00—now \$39.50

Brass Beds

All sizes—were \$55.00—now \$19.75

Peninsular Cabinet Gas Ranges

Were \$60.00—now \$28.50

Mahogany Lamp Bases

Two-light—were \$15.00—now \$5.90

Velvet Rugs

Were \$75.00—now \$27.50

Were \$85.00—now \$37.50

Were \$120.00—now \$48.00

Were \$150.00—now \$62.00

Axminster Rugs

Were \$55.00—now \$28.75

Were \$75.00—now \$37.50

Were \$100.00—now \$48.00

Were \$125.00—now \$63.00

Lamps

Were \$14.00—now \$6.25

Were \$18.00—now \$9.00

Were \$22.00—now \$12.00

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Were \$32.00—now \$21.00

Were \$44.00—now \$28.00

Odd Divan Beds

Were \$55.00—now \$27.50

Were \$75.00—now \$37.50

Were \$80.00—now \$39.75

Were \$90.00—now \$47.50

3-Pc. Cane Living-Room Sets

Were \$250.00—now \$120.00

Were \$300.00—now \$150.00

Were \$450.00—now \$225.00

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Iron Beds

Were \$10.00—now \$4.50

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Between Rounds a Fighter Has 63 Seconds—60 for Rest, Three to Splash Ringsiders

Regan Outpointed By Callander, but Fights Good Bout

Manassas Scrapper Shows Good Defensive Skill in Armory Feature.

Armory Results

KENNY CALLENDER of Minneapolis outpointed **Kid Regan** easily, eight rounds, 125 pounds. **BENNY MCGOVERN** gave **Pete Macklin** a boxing lesson; six rounds, 125 pounds. **ELMER FARRAR** knocked out **Danny Tracy**, two rounds, 124 pounds. **HARRY RITZER** outpointed **Grub Whalen**, four rounds, 125 pounds. **JULIUS BARBATT** won from **Bob Martin** when the referee stopped the bout in the first round.

By John E. Wray.

Ed Regan, appearing stronger and more nearly his normal self than in his last three or four appearances, fought eight aggressive rounds against the clever **Ken Callander** at the First Regiment Armory, last night. At the time the kid's visage had been vigorously massaged by the alert little fighter, to the extent of causing the kid's body to be also pink where he had been pounded in the preliminary round; but his spirit and aggressiveness were unimpaired and he was carrying the fight to the end as vigorously as the final bell as at the first one.

Callander fought with good generalship, but **Regan's** rushes like a hammer with uppers and hooks to the head that might have spelled disaster to the kid had the Minnesota owned a real kick as it was his right to the jaw and stiff arm to the face sent **Regan** back in his heels many times.

Callander at one time had **Regan** on the ropes and was slipping through his guard and slipping through a punch to the point of the chin; but although **Regan** was momentarily dazed when the storm was over, he was unhurt and gamely carried off to his corner.

Callander displayed some of the best defensive skill seen here in some time, his guarding and blocking, and slipping being of the highest order. He outlasted **Regan's** aggressiveness and was an easy victory at times.

Regan, however, left a better impression last night than he did against **Johnny Ritchie**, even though **Callander** was the victor.

Macklin just **Suts McGovern**. **Benny McGovern**, another fighter who is trying to beat back from **Manassas**, likewise made a very favorable impression in his six-round bout with the rugged **Pete Macklin**.

McGovern was the case with **Callander**. **McGovern's** opponent was made to order for him. The willing and aggressive **Pete** carried the battle every inch of the way, crowding **McGovern** eagerly at all times, only to be met with a constant fire of counters that rocked him.

McGovern had more steam back than **Callander**, however, and if **Pete** had been a less rugged man he might have been destroyed under the canvas for the necessary 10 rounds. **Pete** can take as well as give, and aside from being down back staggering once or twice, he was in no serious distress at any time.

It was a better fight for **McGovern** than his previous one, and he won the way. He had his confidence in him at all times, and the result was at no time in doubt.

Whalen is knocked down. **Grub Whalen**, another willing fighter, met trouble when he undertook to polish off **Harry Ritzer**. **Ritzer** was just as willing as the rugged **Grub** and in the earlier rounds he had his opponent dazed. **Whalen**, however, is of the sort that never flinches and he gave almost as good as he received in subsequent rounds. In the fourth and final round, however, **Ritzer** floored **Whalen** for the full count. **Grub** shook his head, came up grinning, and went to his corner until the end of the round.

Danny Tracy was unable to assimilate the solid body walling handed him by **Elmer Farrar** and took to the canvas in the second round. **Bob Martin** did not make a lead in his match with **Paul Barbatta** for the entire minute the bout lasted, so that **Referee Walter Helmer** decided it was no contest and stopped the fight.

PELL DEFEATS MORTIMER FOR RACQUET LAURELS. **NEW YORK**, Feb. 22.—Clarence Pell of the New York Racquet and Tennis Club retained his national amateur racquet champion by defeating his clubmate, Stanley G. Mortimer, in the final match of the tournament here today. The scores: 12-15, 15-12, 15-10, 15-10.

Williams Beats Goldstein. **PHILADELPHIA**, Feb. 22.—**Kid Williams** of Baltimore, former lightweight champion, had the better of **Abe Goldstein** of New York in an eight-round bout last night.

Ortega Wins From Chipping. **NEW YORK**, Feb. 22.—**Chipping Ortega** of California received the judge's decision over **George Chipp**, former lightweight champion, after a 15-round bout in Brooklyn last night.

Benny Leonard Stops Eddie Moy; Due Here Tonight for Welling Go

Lightweight Champion Makes Quick Job of Bout at Dayton and Referee Stops Contest in Third Round—Welling Already Here for Thursday's Fight.

DAYTON, O., Feb. 22.—Lightweight Champion **Benny Leonard** easily disposed of the rugged **Eddie Moy** in three rounds here last night after **Leonard** had floored Moy twice in the third period. Referee "Slim" Brennan of Philadelphia humanely intervened and led Moy to his corner.

Moy, a rough, tough, person who has withstood the two-fisted assaults of all the leading 125-pounders, did fairly well during the first two rounds. That is, he managed to retain his equilibrium, although **Leonard** bounced right and left hand punches on his physiognomy.

In the third, **Leonard** caught him with a paralyzing left hook to the stomach. Moy dropped his guard and **Leonard** crossed a short right to the jaw, knocking Moy through the ropes.

Eddie gamely scrambled into the ring again, however, only to be knocked down for a second of nine. He rose and fought on, but **Referee Brennan** stopped the fight just as Moy's manager tossed in the towel.

Leonard left for St. Louis, where he boxes **Joe Welling** on Thursday.

Joe Welling here. **Joe Welling** arrived in St. Louis today and is stopping at the Jefferson Hotel. The **Leonard** party will arrive from Dayton this evening and will be quartered at the Statler.

Welling appears to be down in weight and in fine condition. He will work out today at about 200 pounds. The fans here are the most enthusiastic that have ever been seen on a Southern training trip. Yesterday they turned out several thousand strong at the station with a band and headed by **Major Sullivan**, paraded to the hotel. Then the **Leonard** party was taken for a tour of inspection of the city and the two ball parks. Last night a dance was held at the Elks Club.

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They have two parks in this town and both are in excellent shape. **Brooks**, ground keeper for the Browns, has been here for several weeks and with the assistance of many helpers he has put the playing field in tip-top shape for the athletes.

Fohl has decided that his men will practice on the field which the colored boys of this town have always played their games. The reason for this is that the park is much larger than the one used by the whites.

The squad now numbers 25 players, 18 pitchers, three infielders and four catchers. **Dixie Davis**, just as full of pep as he was throughout the 1920 season, arrived in Jackson just a few minutes before the train pulled out for Bogalusa.

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MEYERS TO DEFEND TITLE AGAINST TALABER IN BENEFIT SHOW TONIGHT. **CHICAGO**, Feb. 22.—Society leaders who have bought scores of ring-side boxes at \$10 per box, will crowd sport enthusiasts to the rear in the charity wrestling show tonight in the "Coliseum" under auspices of Mrs. Marshall Field III.

In the main bout, **Johnny Meyers** will defend his midweight championship title against **Lois Talaber** of Chicago.

Mrs. Field announces that all funds gained by the sale of \$2, \$2.50 and \$5 seats will go entirely for the aid of crippled children of Chicago and Cook County.

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Spyros Vorres, Chicago amateur wrestler, meets **Jack Kennedy** of Cedar Rapids, Ia., in the first match. **Pease**, Iowa farmer, and **Jim London**, Greek, will meet in a heavyweight contest.

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KAUFF WILL BE UNABLE TO DEPART WITH GIANTS BECAUSE OF COURT CASE. **NEW YORK**, Feb. 22.—**Benny Kauff**, New York National outfielder, who was indicted a year ago in connection with the theft of an automobile, will be unable to accompany the other Giants departing next Saturday for their training camp, as it was ruled yesterday he must stand trial late this month or early in March.

Kauff was indicted Feb. 19, 1920, and his counsel, in asking for a later trial, contended that as the case could have been tried earlier it would be an injustice to hold the trial at this time and thus impair his client's livelihood by preventing him from getting spring practice.

Detective **Sergeant Owen** and **Horan**, who arrested **Kauff**, were indicted recently by a grand jury for accepting bribes from several members of the police automobile squad.

MICHIGAN ELEVEN WILL NOT PLAY CALIFORNIA. **ANN ARBOR, Mich.**, Feb. 22.—Definite announcement that there would be no football game this year between California and Michigan came today, ending the completion of the Michigan schedule. According to Athletic Director **Barclay**, agreement could not be reached upon a date for the intercollegiate game. Nov. 5, the date proposed, has been left open, to give the Wolverines a two weeks' rest for the last two games on the card.

THREE ST. LOUIS BOYS ON ILLINOIS VS. SQUAD. **CHAMPAIGN, Ill.**, Feb. 22.—Baseball Coach **Landis** of University of Illinois, today cut his squad to 40 men. Among the number are the following from St. Louis: **J. T. Brennan**, 2311 Maple avenue; **C. F. Crossen**, 2586 Windsor place; and **C. W. Vaughn**, 241 Catalpa avenue.

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GAS RATE HEARING MAY BE REOPENED

Information Concerning Laclede Contracts Discussed by City Counselor.

Inquiry was made by the Post-Dispatch today of City Counselor Dames, Assistant City Counselor Hamilton and Public Service Commissioners Flad and Bean, who chanced to be in the city, as to what use, if any, they would make of information contained in an article in the Post-Dispatch Friday bearing on the reasonableness of the application of the Laclede Gas Light Co. to be permitted to increase its rates for gas to household consumers from 32 cents to \$1.25 per 100 cubic feet.

The information given concerned contracts for coal and oil entered into by the company at so great an advance in price that it must collect \$1,200,000 more from gas users in 1921 than it did in 1920, and was, in synopsis, as follows:

1. That declining oil prices have decreased by \$222,000 the sum which the Laclede asserted it needed for oil.
2. That a similar decline in the price of coal to the Laclede which would still further reduce the company's need is imminent, in the opinion of coal experts and operators in Eastern Kentucky, from which the Laclede obtains coal.
3. That the Laclede's coal contract, which, in the opinion of coal men last December, held many advantages for the Consolidation Coal Co. and few for the Laclede, now is even more strongly regarded as improvident by coal operators, many of whom are selling gas coal for \$2.50 a ton. The Laclede is paying \$5 under its contract, which was made after a decline in coal prices had set in. The contract is for 600,000 tons.

Action by City Considered.

City Counselor Dames said that for some time, he had thought it advisable to ask the Public Service Commission to reopen the Laclede case, but was not ready to say that he would ask for a reopening until he had consulted Assistant Counselor Hamilton.

Assistant Counselor Hamilton said that the city was without authority to summon witnesses from without the State and doubted that persons having information as to the justice of Laclede contracts would take the witness stand voluntarily.

Much of the information concerning the wisdom of the Laclede coal contracts was given in the Post-Dispatch before the hearings, closed. The city authorities at that time graphed to one man in the coal industry asking him to come as a witness. He declined. The city sought no other witnesses from the coal fields.

Information as Evidence.

Commissioner Bean said that the commission could not take cognizance of the information unless it was inserted formally into the record, because, in the event of court appeal, the basis of decision would not appear fully unless the purport of the newspaper article were formally in the record. He said that the commission had authority to insert the information in the record or reopen the case of its own initiative, but that he could not say for the commission whether it would adopt either of these courses.

Commissioner Flad said he had read the Post-Dispatch article and would call it to the attention of the other commissioners. Asked if the commission could seek of its own accord evidence corroborative of the facts set forth by the article, the commission could, but that he could not say that it would.

SCHMOLL CELEBRATES HOLIDAY WITH ANTI-KIEL STATEMENT

"Washington Was Right Is Text of Declaration Opposing Third Term for Mayor.

John Schmoll, Director of Public Welfare, today celebrated Washington's birthday by issuing an anti-third-term statement opposing the re-nomination of Mayor Kiel. Schmoll has previously announced that he is supporting Robert Burkham for the nomination.

"Washington was right" is the text of Schmoll's declaration. He proceeds to argue that the third term is a dangerous experiment, in the office of Mayor of a large city, as truly as in the office of President of the United States. He says the political obligations and entanglements of a Mayor seeking re-election, particularly for a third term, are a disadvantage which more than offset a new Mayor's inexperience.

YOUTH GETS FIVE-YEAR TERM

Youth Found Guilty of Robbing Man of \$35 and Watch.

A jury in Circuit Judge Hall's court yesterday sentenced Fred Ellerbeck, 19 years old, of 4814 Easton avenue, to serve five years in the penitentiary for robbery in the first degree. He was found guilty, in less than 20 minutes, of robbing Martin G. Hennessy, 5322 Page boulevard, Nov. 25, last, of a watch and \$35. Ellerbeck told the police where he had pawned the watch and Hennessy identified him as the robber. Oliver G. Miller and Ernest Brauer were indicted with Ellerbeck, but will be tried separately.

Nonmagnetic Steamer Ends Trip.

By the San Francisco, Cal., Feb. 22.—The nonmagnetic steamer Carnegie is in port today after a voyage which took her from New York to the Indian Ocean, Ceylon, West Australia, New Zealand, Tahiti and Fanning Island in scientific investigation of the magnetic condition of the earth over ocean areas.

Nugents Wednesday! The Last Day of the

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Shirting Madras, in light grounds with neat colored shirting stripes; 32 inches wide **28c**
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Comfort Challie, in a wide range of Persian and floral designs; 36 inches wide **17c**
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25c Longcloth
36 inches wide, in mill remnant **19c**
(Basement—Nugents.)

39c Pillow Tubing
Unbleached, in desirable mill lengths **25c**
(Basement—Nugents.)

20c Unbleached Muslin
38 inches wide, in mill remnant **15c**
(Basement—Nugents.)

25c Unbleached Muslin
32 inches wide, extra heavy weight **16c**
(Basement—Nugents.)

\$1.50 Georgetown Crepe
40 inches wide, firm, crisp quality; assorted colors included **97c**
(Basement—Nugents.)

\$1.47 Silk Pongee
33 inches wide, fine, soft, lustrous quality, imported Silk Pongee, made in Japan. Natural color **97c**
(Basement—Nugents.)

\$1.25 Georgetown Crepe
40 inches wide, fine sheer quality in white and flesh **67c**
(Basement—Nugents.)

\$2.00 Chiffon Taffeta
36 inches wide, beautiful soft Chiffon Taffeta, evenly and firmly woven in the wanted navy blue **\$1.47**
(Basement—Nugents.)

\$2 Crepe de Chine
40 inches wide, firm, serviceable quality for blouses, dresses and lingerie. Extensive color range and **\$1.27**
(Basement—Nugents.)

\$2.00 Satin Messaline
36 inches wide, fine, soft, lustrous quality Satin Messaline for blouses and dresses, in wanted colors including navy blue **\$1.42**
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\$60 Axminster Rugs
Size 9x12 ft. A splendid assortment of patterns and rich color combinations **\$39.75**
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Regular \$11.50 Qualities at **\$7.25**
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50c Pillowcase
Very durable; size 42x36 inches; free from dress- **39c**
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\$2.35 Sheets
Extra long; size 81x108; free from dress- **\$1.98**
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\$1.75 Sheets
Large size; 81x90 inches; seamless; free from dress- **\$1.49**
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Sateen Petticoats
Made of fine quality black sateen, cut with deep fancy flounce, with narrow ruffling **\$1.95**
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Cotton Petticoats
Neat looking, in small flounces, in good line of shades **\$1.00**
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Gingham Petticoats
Splendid value in good quality of striped ginghams, cut with deep flounce. Extra sizes **79c**
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\$4.00 to \$5.00 Philippine Gowns

Made of fine lingerie cloth, cut full, hand embroidered in a variety of very pretty designs, hand scalloped around neck and sleeves; handmade, ribbon drawn **\$2.88**

\$4.00 to \$5.00 Envelope Chemise

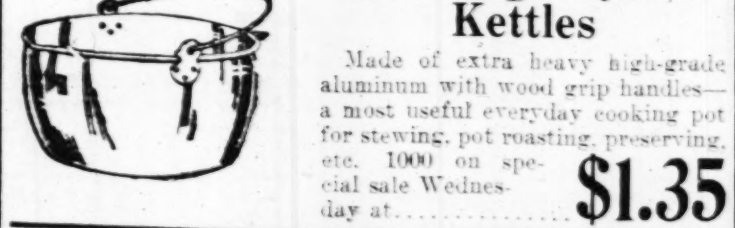
Hand embroidered in the Philippines of fine lingerie cloth; come in a variety of dainty floral and conventional designs, hand scalloped around neck, sleeves and bottom; cut full; all handmade; ribbon drawn **\$2.88**

\$6.00 to \$9.00 Gowns

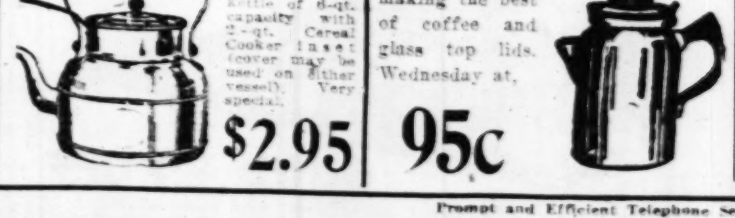
Philippine Gowns of sheer lingerie cloth, hand embroidered in wonderful, elaborate designs; many are hand drawn, others with punch work or real fillet lace medallions; some empire style. A splendid variety, hand-made ribbon drawn **\$3.88**

\$6 to \$9 Envelope Chemise

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\$2.50 Brassieres
Best Corset made of flesh color broadie satin broadie and elastic. In back, ribbon shoulder straps. Sizes 22 to 30.

75c Brassieres
Best Corset made of flesh color fancy material, broadie and elastic. In back, ribbon shoulder straps. Sizes 22 to 30.

\$2.00 Combination Mop Sets
Consisting of extra large heart-shaped Mop, with adjustable handles, made to get in all corners and under furniture. Complete with large 16-oz. bottle of high-grade polishing oil. Complete. Wednesday **98c**

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\$5.00 White Silks
40-inch gorgeous satin style shimmering Silks, for skirts, offered in this sale **\$2.00**

\$4.00 Crepe Materials
40-inch soft satin Crepe Materials, shades of navy or men's-wear blue, brown or black, at **\$2.00**

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40 inches wide; new Spring colors—white, ivory and pink **\$1.00**

\$5.00 Chiffon Taffeta
36 to 40 inches wide; new brown, navy blue, beige, Pekin or sapphire blue **\$2.00**

\$2.50 Cream of Lemons
50c Pompeian Cream **50c**

50c Mary Garden Veal Cream
50c Immac Deodorant **50c**

35c Mirror Nail Finish
50c Mary Garden Rouge **50c**

25c Piver's Azura Vegeta
50c Dioxogen **50c**

25c Violet Ammonia
25c Butterfly Talcum **25c**

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come loan shares. Box 7, 136 P. O.

Cat Upsets Lamp, \$2000 Fire.
A rooming house conducted by Mrs. Estelle Tunins, 1621 Morgan street, was damaged about \$2000 at 1 o'clock last night when a cat accidentally turned over a coal oil lamp on the second floor.



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Try one verse—



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6:50 A. M. Passenger service on this
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instead of 8:10 A. M., arriving Louisville
7:45 P. M.
No. 2 arrives St. Louis 7:10 A. M.
instead of 6:10 A. M., arriving Louisville
9:30 P. M.
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9:28 P. M.
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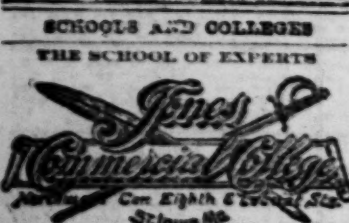
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SIX HURT WHEN AUTO STRIKES STREET CAR

An automobile driven by David
M. Flournoy of 197 Glen road, Web-
ster Groves, vice president of the
Alligator Oil Clothing Co., collided
with a Manchester street car last
night at 11:20 o'clock at Glen road
and Lockwood avenue, Webster
Groves.

Flournoy and the following other
residents of Webster Groves
injured: Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Wil-
son, 142 West Cedar street; Elmer Den-
nell, 424 Yorkshire place, manager
of the Associated Industries of Mis-
souri; Mrs. J. Lavigne, 143 South
Gore avenue; and Vance E. Taylor,
128 Orchard avenue.

Dr. D. W. North, who was called,
stated the injuries of the party as
follows: Flournoy, sprained left
shoulder and right ankle, scalp
wound; Taylor, sprained back; Den-
nell, cut over the left eye; Wild,
scalp wounds; Mrs. Wild, scalp
wounds and fractured right collar
bone. Dr. North said that Mrs. Tay-
lor was thrown from the automob-
ile and remained unconscious for
30 minutes, but that she did not
appear to be seriously hurt.

The party had been attending a
social affair at the Algonquin Club,
had motored to Flournoy's house
and were returning to the club when
the accident occurred. Flournoy had
turned the machine sharply into
Lockwood avenue from Glen road
and met the street car, which was
coming east, head-on.

HACKMANN'S AUDIT BILL SHOWN TO BE BIG PIE MEASURE

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Secretary of State expressed the op-
inion that a larger force would be
necessary in Missouri, because this is
a larger State than Iowa.

It became apparent after the de-
bate was well under way that the
Republican Senators were not giving
Ralph assistance. Senator Seneker
of Lawrence County being the only Re-
publican who spoke for the bill. The
only Democrat who spoke in its be-
half was Senator McCullough of
Knox County, whose position was a
puzzle to his Democratic associates.

After nearly two hours of discus-
sion, Senator Anderson of St. Louis,
Republican caucus chairman, who
had had whispered consultations with
several Republican Senators, hurried
to the Lieutenant Governor, who was
presiding, and had a short whispered
conversation with him. He then hur-
ried back to the floor, spoke a mo-
ment to Ralph, and shortly after-
ward Ralph asked to be permitted to
place the bill on the informal calendar.
The permission was granted.
He can call it up at any time.

Inquiry developed that the action
was the result of uncertainty whether
the Republicans would stay in line
for the bill, and doubt of the ability
of the sponsors of the measure to
obtain a majority of the Senators for
it. Senator Gray of Jasper County,
it was learned, was one of the uncer-
tain ones, and it was feared that
others might either absent them-
selves from the Senate chamber
when the vote was taken, or would
vote against it.

Senator Harris showed the bill was
almost an exact duplicate of a polit-
ical pie bill introduced in 1915 at the
instance of John P. Gordon, a Demo-
crat, and then State Auditor, and
that it was one of the political scanda-
ls of the Gordon administration of
the Auditor's office.

One of Two Political Pies.
"The Legislature was Democratic
then," said Harris, "but it would not
stand for the building up of such a
powerful one-man political machine,
and the Democrats in this Legisla-
ture will not stand for it without the
most vigorous protest we can regis-
ter."

Senator Bowler referred to the
auditors who could be appointed un-
der the provisions of the measure as
"Hackmann's army."
The bill is the first of two political
pie bills introduced to provide the
Auditor with the most extensive
force of employees of any State of-
ficer. The other, which is yet to come
up for consideration, was introduced
in the House by Representative Lay
of Crawford County. It authorizes
Hackmann as Auditor to appoint an
inheritance tax attorney in each of
the 114 counties of the State. Demo-
crats opposing the measure have de-
clared they would provide a powerful
political machine of 114 lawyers, one
in each county, in a compact organi-
zation under one head, who also
would be in control of possibly 35 or
40 traveling auditors going into every
part of the State.

It is possible to limit the number
of employees in State departments in
a measure at least by limiting the
appropriation made for the depart-
ment, but the debate on the auditing
bill developed that this had skillfully
been avoided in the preparation of
the measure by providing that the
auditors should be paid by the coun-
ties and municipalities and not by
the State.

Senator Harris read from the bill
a provision that the County Court
or the proper municipal officers of the
county or municipality audited were
required to issue warrants to pay for
the audit at their first meet-
ing after the report of the audit was
forwarded to them.

Harris also recalled the scenes in
the legislative chambers at the time
Gordon attempted to have the same
bill passed. He said clerks from
Gordon's office swarmed into the
chambers, even in violation of the
rules limiting admission to members
of the bodies, and lobbed openly on
the floor for the measure. They
were denounced by Democrats and
Republicans alike at the time, and
the bill was killed. Only one of the
employees of Hackmann's office was
in the Senate yesterday, and he was
a quiet spectator.

It is the intention of the Republi-
cans to consider the bill through-
ly in caucus today and to decide
whether to attempt to pass it, or per-
mit it to die on the informal calen-
dar with the end of the session.

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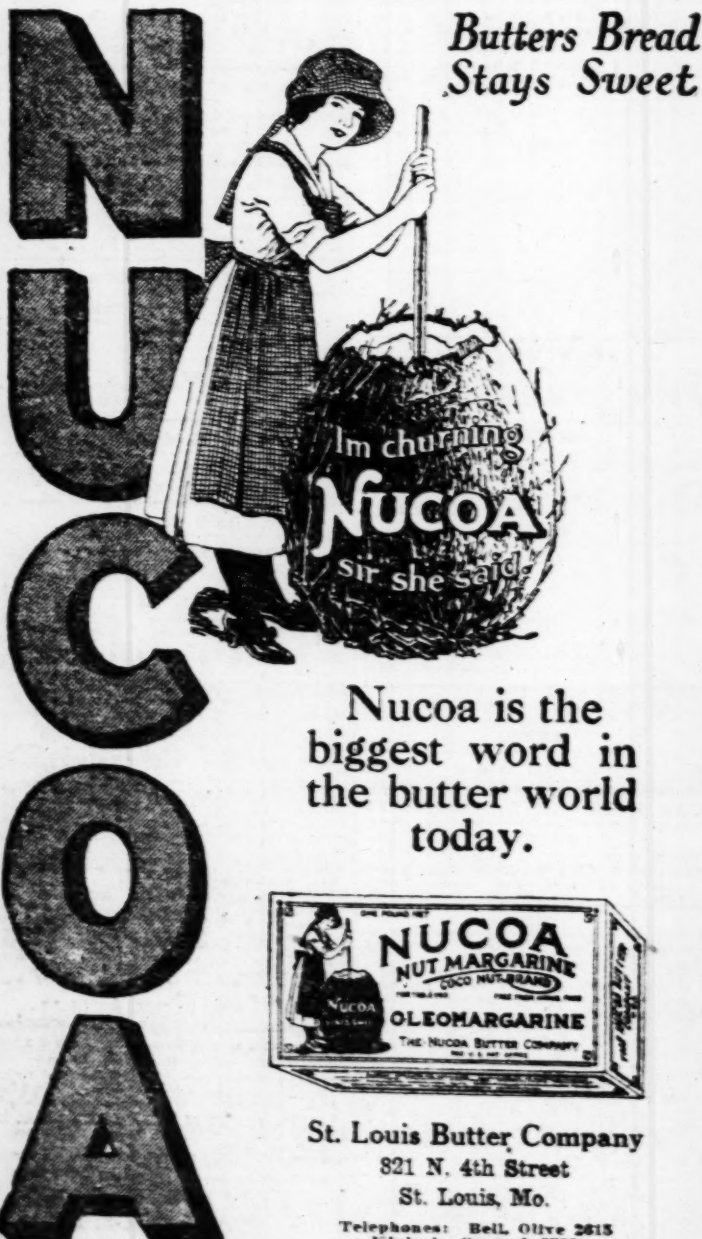
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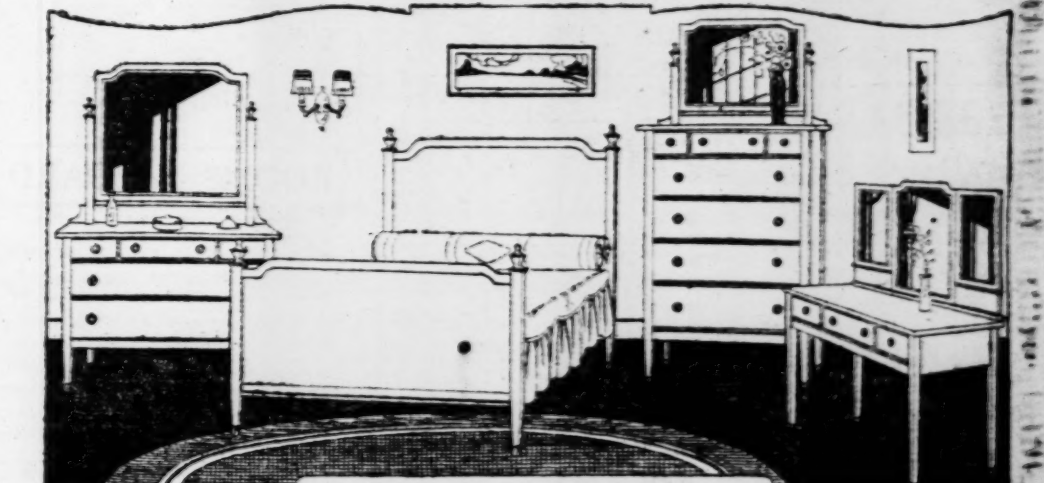
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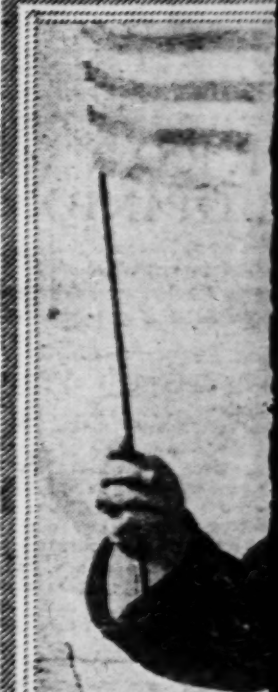
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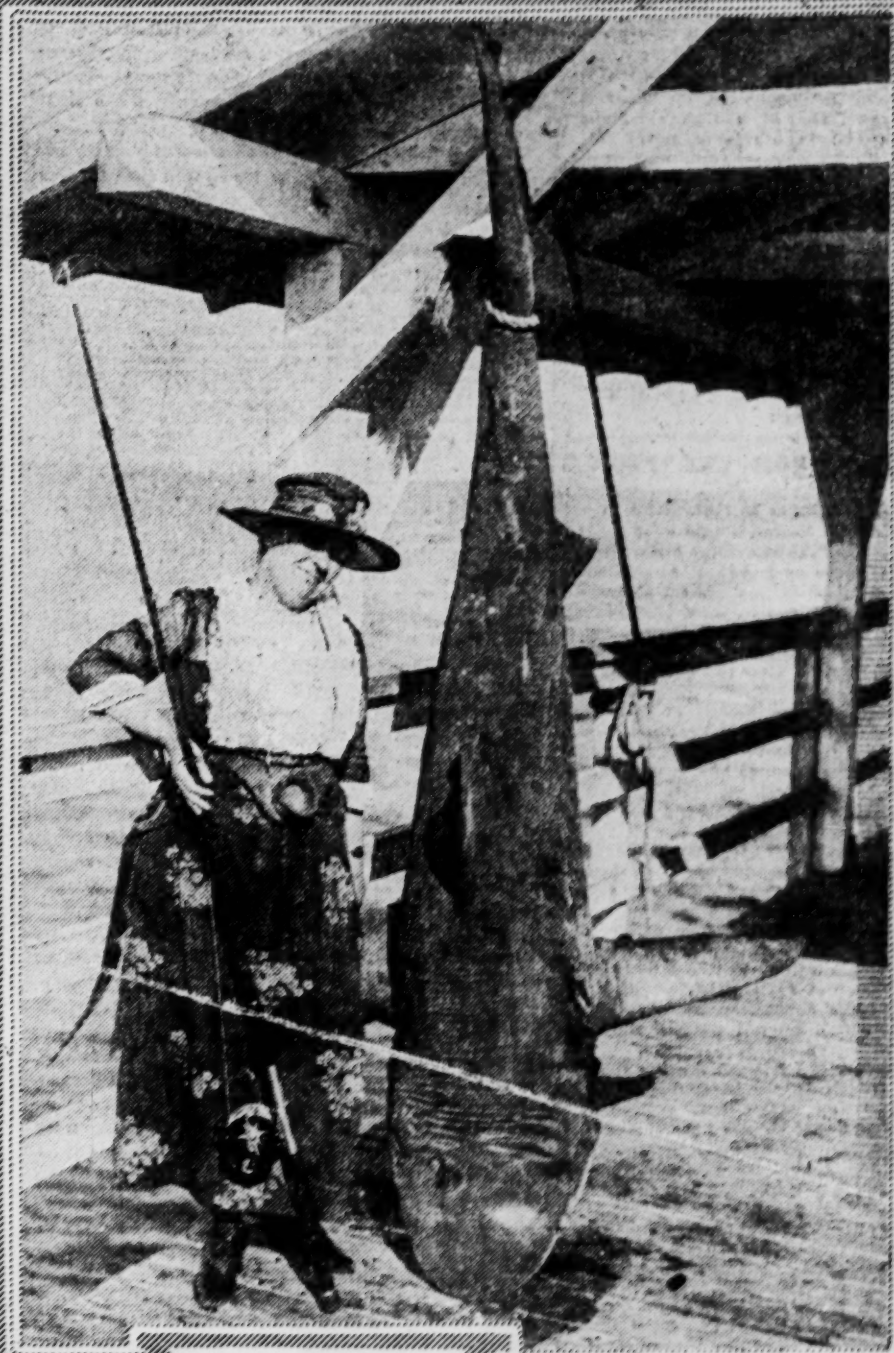
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Delegates and visitors at the National Women's Party convention in Washington, D. C. In the photo to the left, from left to right, are Mrs. Izetta Jewel Brown of West Virginia, Mrs. Abby Scott Baker of Washington, Miss Margaret Wilson, Mrs. Howard Kriest of Baltimore and Mrs. J. A. H. Hopkins of Newark. At the right is Mrs. Gertrude Bonnin, full-blooded Sioux Indian, whose tribal name is Zitkala-Sa.

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Mrs. M. T. McEldowney of Winchester, Ky., and nine-foot shark she caught off Palm Beach, Florida, after a struggle of nearly one hour.

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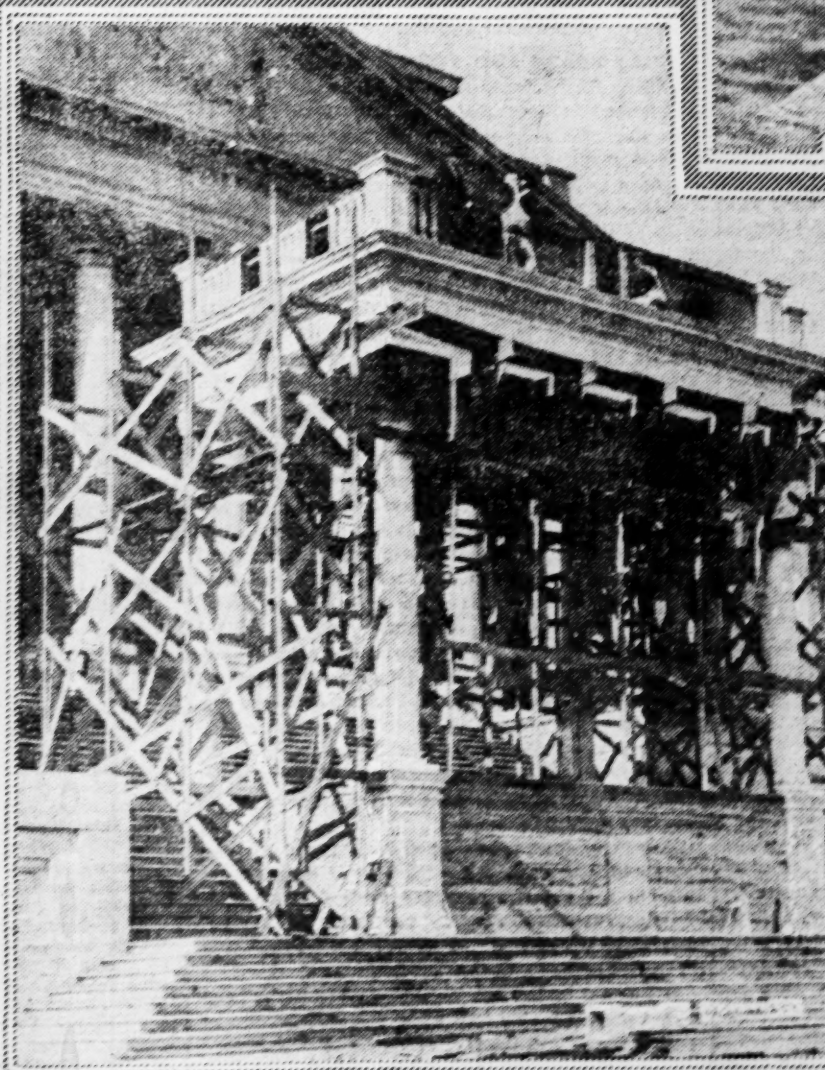
Archbishop Dennis J. Dougherty of Philadelphia, as he appeared sailing from Hoboken on the Nieuw Amsterdam for Rome, where he will receive the Cardinal's hat from the Pope.

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Miss Belle Kearney of Mississippi who will be a candidate for the seat of Senator John Sharp Williams, opposing former Senator Vardaman and former Governor Bilbo.

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Inauguration stand at Washington, where President-elect Harding will take the oath of office March 4, as it appears nearing completion.

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Earl C. Hanson and his newly developed electrical apparatus through which persons considered hopelessly hard of hearing can hear conversation. His research in this line was made possible through a fund established by Alexander Graham Bell.

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Poles and Czech-Slovaks crowding up the gangway of a steamer at Southampton, England, enroute to the United States. This is but a tiny part of the huge flood of immigration pouring into this country which a Senate bill endeavors to restrict.

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Madame Henri Forehammer, recently elected one of the representatives of Denmark to the League of Nations Assembly in Switzerland.

—International.



Chinese educators who arrived in St. Louis yesterday and who are touring the United States to study our methods of instruction. From left to right: F. C. Wu, dean of the Fourth Normal School at Nanking; N. T. Tsang, principal Sixth Middle School, Kiangsu; C. S. Tsang, president of the Educational Bureau, Kiangsu Province; He-lo Yuen, president Nanting College; Herman Chan-Ken Liu, a student in the teachers' college at Columbia University and secretary and interpreter for the commission; P. T. K. A. president of the Second Teachers' College at Shanghai.

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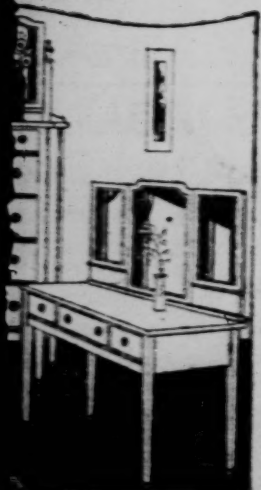
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LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

A Statement to Americans.
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Concerning the shameful and outrageous utterances of Henry Ford published in the daily press, a dignified statement signed by the leading Jewish organizations of America has been issued, refuting the libelous assertions that are being circulated with a view to Jewish defamation.

In this birthday month of Washington and Lincoln the statement comes with fitting timeliness. It may convince even prejudiced minds of the utter baselessness of the idiotic slanders that reckless writers such as Mr. Ford have sponsored.

We are tired of Ford. Everybody else must feel the same fatigue. Whether he quits or not we ought to quit our notice of him. We regret the excess notice given him and the scribbling of his paid parasites and irresponsibles.

His "explanation" is the cap-sheaf of his evil crop of anti-Jewish calumny. It fits with the reputation he has gained as one whose mental powers are eccentric.

Here we have been supposing that he hated Jewish folk and stimulated prejudice, and now comes his "explanation" and we find that he has not the slightest anti-semitism in him—oh, no—not at all!

We doubt seriously if Mr. Ford understands his own "explanation." It needs a ouija board to comprehend it! Subtract from Mr. Ford his wealth and he is but a zero. His Journal gives him the outlet for his vaporing and we, by noting him too much, give him an added and excessive notoriety. Ford should be ignored!

Challenges like that of Detroit Jews, that Ford prove his absurd allegations and to nothing. He is afraid to answer. He does not take the "dare," so what's the use?

Let the dignified statement of our position, our denial, and our faith in America and Americans and the matter. Let the glorious war record of our 200,000 American boys of Jewish faith who fought in the war, and the 2500 of those who died in order that America and Americans should live—let them be our spokesmen in the final analysis of this miserable propaganda of hate and prejudice.

Mr. Ford will live to regret his folly. Even now, by his father and his efforts to "explain," he shows signs of "returning consciousness" and a glimmer of sense in realizing his most insane position.

We quote the concluding paragraph of the Jewish statement to Americans: "We have an abiding confidence in the spirit of justice and fairness that permeates the true American, and we are satisfied that our fellow-citizens will not permit the campaign of slander and libel that has been launched against us to go unreprieved. There is enough for all of us to do in the great task of building up more of our common country and of developing the principles on which it is founded. Let not hatred and misunderstanding arise where peace and harmony, unity and brotherhood are required to perpetuate all that America represents and to enable all men to know that within her wide boundaries there is no room for injustice and intolerance."

Editor "The Modern View."

A Good Move.
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

I see where several states are going to tax old bachelors. It is a good move. All luxuries should be taxed.

OLD BACHELOR.

More About the Shark.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

As to the shark's jawbone discovered 118 feet deep in Illinois. I think both Skeptics and Anti-Skeptics are wrong. Mary, many years ago, when Illinois was quite dry, one of the early pioneers dug a well 180 feet deep and kept a shark at the bottom of it to eat up the vengeful tails, which were large in those days.

Later on, when Peoria was discovered, he filled the well up and the shark expired for lack of ventilation. Or it may be that this jawbone was used instead of a pick by an early Illinois coal miner and probably was left underground by the miner when he went on a strike.

That miner has long ago crossed over the divide, the mine filled up and forgotten, but the jawbone remains. Maybe it was never owned by a shark, but is, in fact, the jawbone of a groundhog which was quite a bird in those days. Then, again, maybe this particular jawbone was the favorite weapon of some great warrior and was buried with him when he died. Being, no doubt, a very dangerous and ferocious guy while living, they buried him extra deep for safety.

HEDLEY RICHARDS.

Wine and Beer.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

I believe if the United States would abolish whiskey and cigarettes and have a blue law on Sabbath with the return of beer and wine, that the people in general would be more than satisfied.

Further believe whiskey and cigarettes is a menace to our nation, morally, mentally and physically.

JOSEPH DELAHANTIA.
Wayne, Ill.

THE EVIL SPIRIT OF PARTY.

George Washington was an important figure in the last presidential campaign. His farewell address was often quoted, and more often misquoted. Senators who declaimed that, in those parting words of counsel, they found the inspiration and justification of their position, could also find lashing accusation in that paper. "If benefits have resulted to our country from these services," said Washington, "in the review of his presidency, let it always be remembered to your praise and as instructive example in our annals . . . the constancy of your support was the essential prop of the efforts and the guaranty of the plans by which they were effected."

In other respects the farewell address was an admonition against the kind of leadership that Senator Lodge and his associates have practiced and a warning to the whole people against the "common and continual mischiefs of the spirit of party."

It is the spirit of party that serves always to distract the public councils and sows the seeds of dissension among the members of the government. It agitates the community with ill-founded jealousies and false alarms; kindles the animosity of one part against another; fomenta occasionally riot and insurrection. It opens the door to foreign influence and corruption, which find a facilitated access to the Government itself through the channels of party passion.

There is an opinion that parties in free countries are useful checks upon the administration of the Government and serve to keep alive the spirit of liberty. This within certain limits, is probably true; and in Governments of a monarchial cast, parties may look with indulgence, if not with favor, upon the spirit of party. But in those of the popular character, in Governments purely elective, it is a spirit not to be encouraged.

From their natural tendency it is certain there will always be enough of that spirit for every salutary purpose; and there being constant danger of excess, the effort ought to be by force of public opinion to mitigate and assuage it. A fire not to be quenched, it demands a uniform vigilance to prevent its bursting into a flame, lest, instead of warming, it consume.

There was a good deal of hypocrisy in the rhetorical periods with which George Washington was invoked in the last presidential campaign, but it would be an excellent thing if Washington's wisdom could be brought to bear upon the campaign in which St. Louis will presently be engaged. The people of this city are about to elect a man to manage their affairs.

Nothing could be more stupid or malign than that partisanship should have any influence on our choice. Nevertheless, party appeals will be made, though those who make them will, in most instances, be well aware of their insincerity and demagoguery. Partisanship has no proper place in determining the man for Mayor of St. Louis, and it would have no place if we hearkened to the prophetic voice of Washington's valedictory.

The table of the cherry tree has become a legend, and we observe the birthday of the greatest American by buying toy hatchets. But the boy who couldn't tell a lie grew up to be a man that wouldn't tell a lie, and if we would all incorporate Washington's truth into our political thinking and acting we should have that nobler America which the father of his country foresaw.

The best plan of celebrating Washington's birthday is to read the farewell address.

JESSIE L. GAYNOR.

With the death of Mrs. Jessie L. Gaynor St. Louis comes nearer than ever to a realization of the distinction it has enjoyed as the city of her birth and final residence. In a great many parts of the United States Mrs. Gaynor is better known than St. Louis itself. Abroad she is recognized and loved where St. Louis is but a name.

Mrs. Gaynor's memory is celebrated because she spoke a universal language and wrought a message which the human heart could not resist. It was the language of music and childhood. It was the message of innocence, of happiness, of dreams and mother comfort. Childhood was indebted to her for its pleasures; adulthood for the meat of goodness with which she enriched the ballad of her day.

And her day needed her. The genius which early lay latent within her was piqued by the trashy music which was being poured into her daughter's ears. Today her name stands in the forefront of those composers of popular classic songs who have saved the public from a complete deluge of the jingle that has attacked the musical standards of a generation.

THE PUNCH AND JUDY PERIL.

It has come about just as we feared it would. The morality wave has reached Punch and Judy. It has been discovered in Paris that these venerable entertainers are to blame for more murders and burglaries and general devilry than the demon drink, the dance halls and Sunday movies, all put together.

Wherein the Punch and Judy malefactors are more deadly than other corrupters of morals and inciters to crime is the proclivity, peculiar to the devil, of triumphing over the world, the flesh and the devil in the movies virtue may be badly knocked about from time to time, but it is always triumphant in the last reel. The movies, therefore, teach the useful lesson that honesty is the best policy and that reticence is certain to overtake evildoers.

But Punch and Judy, you remember, when they are not fighting each other, are fighting the neighbors, constituted authority in the person of the policeman and orthodox malevolence as symbolized by Satan.

Punch and Judy, therefore, teach the dubious lesson that life's victories and rewards are for him who whacks every restraint and defies all retribution.

Quota will probably come next. In quota, as is generally known, the husky horsehoe hurler of

EDITORIAL SPARKS.

England is reported as spiritualism crazy, but America is recognized as the place of departed spirits.—Philadelphia North American.

Another reason why we have made such slow progress up the ladder of fame is because so many friends have let us in on the ground floor.—Galveston News.

The contemporary girl has a little curl, right in the middle of her forehead. When she is good she isn't really good, and nine times in ten she is horrid.—Current Criticism.

Frank Harris has written a pamphlet in ardent eulogy of Charlie Chaplin. Mr. Chaplin is believed to be the first man to enjoy Mr. Harris' full approval since Oscar Wilde.—Kansas City Star.

Love is responsible for a good many frosts in summer and a few hot waves in winter.—Detroit News.

He who keeps a still must keep still is the latest addition to our dictionary of punkest puns.—Nashville Tennessean.

One of the things Santa Barbara householders would like to know is whether gas at any other price would smell as bad.—Santa Barbara Express.

The guy who contends that no home brews have sufficient kick never sailed to the land of pure delights on persimmon beer.—Columbia (S. C.) Record.

under-average intellectual attainments and indifferent moral aspirations frequently vanquishes the pale and puny exemplar of lofty thought and glorified goodness, and therefore the dangerous doctrine is taught in quibbles that saintliness is a poor substitute for skill.

THE POLICE BOARD'S RAIDS.

The determination of Chairman Miller of the Police Board to enforce the law and to clean up disorderly places generally, either by making them law-abiding or putting them out of business, will be approved by all good citizens. But in accomplishing his purpose the chairman of the Police Board must see to it that the rights of innocent people who have no intention of breaking the law are respected.

The sensational raids of Saturday night, however praiseworthy the motive, were, in some instances, badly advised. The United States District Attorney, Mr. Carroll, has characterized some of those raids as outrageous. The facts show that that judgment is correct. Of the 145 persons arrested Saturday night, 30 were released outright for lack of evidence. It is small comfort to them to be told by an officer of the Federal Government that their treatment is outrageous. Those persons may demand more substantial satisfaction from the city. They seemingly have a good cause for action.

Next to his laudable purpose to break up resorts suspected of promoting violation of the law, the outstanding feature of Chairman Miller's action is lack of discretion and failure to observe the rights of reputable citizens. The chairman of the Police Board is said to have a list of suspected places. The average citizen has no such list. Is such a citizen to be treated as a criminal, subjected to search and seizure and arrest for having unwittingly gone to a place on the Police Board's blacklist? Is there not some way to distinguish the law-abiding from the law-breaking? Is there not some way to establish the criminal character of suspected places without humiliating innocent people?

If the police are to operate as they did Saturday night, apparently under orders to arrest everybody, then some sort of instruction ought to be given respectable citizens by which the indignity of arrest may be avoided. If such security can be furnished in no other way, the chairman of the Police Board might publish a list of the places to which people may go without running the risk of arrest and temporary imprisonment. The chairman of the Police Board is eminently right in wanting to make St. Louis a dangerous place for lawbreakers, but it is more important that St. Louis shall not be a dangerous place for law-abiding citizens.

We felt all along that as good a politician as Harry Daugherty would land a Cabinet post.

DIRT ROADS AND THE PORK BARREL.

William Hirth, president of the Missouri Farmers' Association, declares that the farmers of Missouri know that "for 100 years at least they will have to use dirt roads, and that hard-surfaced roads for a long, long time will be but a rosy dream."

We should say that William Hirth is right if a bill which he sponsors for the application of the \$60,000,000 road fund were to be adopted by the Legislature. In fact, we believe he has understated the case. We should say that if the road fund provided in the bond issue were to be pork-barreled among the counties and if no beginning were to be made by the State to establish a permanent highway system, the farmers of Missouri would be depending on dirt roads for the next 1000 years.

Practical roads to serve the farmer in drawing his crops to market are a consideration second to none in connection with the roads problem. But Mr. Hirth's method is all wrong. It is wrong because it ignores the following considerations: First, administration of the funds from a State-wide point of view will mean the construction of a uniform system assuring the necessary connection between localities and eliminating local politics and wasteful practices, which are always invited by the doling out of funds from a source outside the county. Second, assumption by the State of the maintenance and care of certain arterial roads in every county will release county funds for the improvement of the feeder roads which reach to the gate of every farmer not on the main improved roads.

To deprive road construction in Missouri of these two advantages is to reject the way of progress and cling to the old rut, spending more for roads but getting no appreciable results, and sinking money into maintenance which would be saved by a hard-surface system.

All success to Mr. Hirth's aspirations for the farmer, but success by his own plan of road improvement is inconceivable in the face of logic and experience.

It is the privilege of genius, as in the cases of Shaw, Harden and finally Chesterton, to blame his own country as against all others.

Consular reports inform us they are growing 110-pound watermelons in Egypt. Put a tariff on watermelons, Mr. Fordney.

Art is long-suffering.

"MT. AERIE—RENT"

It is just a step from seizure upon suspicion to torture. We can take that step almost unconsciously. It has been done time and again in history. Why can't we see the end of such a perilous course?

"God help the cities, suspected of not abiding by the commandments of intolerance! God bless the country, without any police!" Mr. Ford thought he could start the movement back to the country by locating his plant out at Dearborn. Bless his heart, the dry have beaten to death. They have people eating out of the cities to escape from the police. Mr. Wilson said this problem of getting the people back to the land is our biggest problem. I hope that is so, since the dry seem to have solved it. It is the first big thing they have done.

Mr. Wyeth, whose decorations in the Missouri State Capitol have been so vigorously attacked by Senator Irwin, has been given a commission by the American Legion to paint in the Hotel des Invalides at Paris America's contribution to the pictorial war memorials of the allies. We are afraid the Senator is wrong about Mr. Wyeth as a painter. As a matter of fact, the now celebrated criticism of the Battle of Wilson's Creek is probably explained by the member of the Senate who said that having been raised upon the old picture of "Custer's Last Stand," in which the dead and dying are strewn all over Wyoming, it is pretty hard for a Missourian to imagine a battle in which there is only one man down.

Wouldn't it all have surprised Washington?

Memphis Commercial Appeal.

RECEIVING PRICES

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BLUE LAWS

WOULD THE FATHER OF HIS COUNTRY RECOGNIZE THESE CHILDREN?

JUST A MINUTE

Written for the POST-DISPATCH by Clark McDanns

THE DAY CHILD.

RETREATED in a shadowed spot I'd watch the roadway as she came. I'd see her at the instant When she topped my hillock.

Oh I wonder will she be a lady? Billion clad with bright eyes and mayhap A kerchief sack in which she keepseth Breadstuffs for the hours. I wonder Will her footfall be so light That the grasses scarce shall bend And the flowers shall nod in anticipation As she onward comes.

Oh, I wonder, I wonder Will she sing, Mayhap a little humming sound Such as a hoverfly wing might make As it pulsed against a swinging nest. I wonder will she sigh a little sigh. This ladie spoken clad With light footfall who comes hitherward. I shall wait, I shall wait. Anticipate, and bending, yon, ah, I shall see A little child expectantly come forth From yonder hill, pause an instant And go weeping hence.

PATIENCE WORTH.

ARKANSAS ITEMS.

They say this wood-alcohol makes a fine wash and drink. You drink it on Tuesday and your week ends right there—Judson Advancer.

Any boy in our younger days who showed up in public with a wrist watch or spats would have been planted fork and upward in a mud hole—McRae Progress.

Sometimes we think frankness is a characteristic of Arkansas. For instance, the other day a local stock dealer who had sold some mules to an Arkansas farmer received a letter which began this way: "There Sir: I ain't sold my cotton and I can't pay what I owe you. If you ain't no better prepared to meet your Maker than I am prepared to pay what I owe you, you're sure going to hell."

And here is another one: A Little Rock bank wrote a letter to a negro who had fallen behind in the Monthly payments he had promised to make toward the purchase of a home. The negro wrote: "I can't pay because I have had a little misfortune. They put me in the penitentiary last month."—A. O. Arkansas Gazette.

No. 41144: Sign on De Baliviere avenue: Scates for sale, made in Holland, note: reverseable plate.

What? When a sign painter decides to use an apostrophe you never can tell where he is going to drop it in. An instance from Lawton avenue: I shall wait, I shall wait. Keystone Cafe & Family Garden.

Another one on Easton avenue: Used Ford's for Sale.

One of our big banks, advertising on a billboard in the 4400 block on Olive street, calls itself an Institution for Savings.

The 's have it.

"MY COUNTRY, 'TIS OF THEE"

(Each morning before going to their respective rooms the children of the Samuel Cupples School assemble to pledge allegiance to the flag.)

HUSH falls on the gathered throng. A thousand voices raise in song— "Land, O my Country, 'Tis of Thee,"

Sounds out from hall and balcony. With head erect and hand on heart, The old, the young, the tall, the short, Before the flag, to pledge their youth To God, America and truth.

J. G.



WOMEN'S PAGE

Why Women Their Ma

FANNIE HURST

"It's So Silly to Lose O

count of a Marriage

WOMEN stand in their own line. They are the worst enemy of their sex. They are afraid of displeasure. They are cowards.

The woman who considers washing dishes sacred is retarding the economic progress of her sex. Women are like cockatoos born in captivity.

They cannot think logically. These sentiments are not taken from Schopenhauer, Oscar Wilde, Bernard Shaw, but from Fannie Hurst.

The woman who talks of tradition and woman's place with eyes cast heavenward and says virtuously, "I am a mother and wife, my husband and my home duties are sacred," is not only the worst enemy of her sex but is retarding the progress of woman who wants to be economically and socially independent. She is anything but sacred in washing dishes.

This is Fannie Hurst's ultimatum to her sex. Miss Hurst was once sweeping in her denunciation of women, albeit fair, when interviewed at her studio apartment, 12 West Sixty-ninth street, New York, while she is also and admittedly, despite her efforts to the contrary, the address of Joseph S. Danielson, musician and husband of Miss Hurst.

"What of children?" she was asked.

"Give them over to child-care specialists," was the reply. "We have all kinds of specialists, have we not? I am a great believer in specializing. Nine-tenths of the women today don't know how to bring up their children. They would be happier and of more value to the community if they did something else. On the other hand, there are plenty of women who are intelligent and disposition born mothers. With a little scientific training they could become experts. If a woman can rear a child properly, why should she be limited to her own children?"

"We say that all women have 'mother instinct,' and trust to this turn out self-respecting and worthy citizens. As a matter of fact, 'mother instinct' has nothing to do with the rearing of children. A woman may have a surplus of the 'mother instinct,' and at the same time make a very poor mother for the economic benefit of view."

Miss Hurst rose suddenly. "What a minute," she said. "I want to show you something."

She returned to the room with a finger-cake sticking to her lips. "Isn't he glorious?" she asked. He was. With a breast full of orange, wings of Maxfield Parrish, a touch of vermilion, a dash of brilliant blue, he looked almost unreal. Only Nature could dare such a combination.

Miss Hurst shook him a little. He fluttered and flapped his wings. The spread of them easily measured three feet. "There!" exclaimed Miss Hurst triumphantly. "Women are exact like that bird. He has an enormous power and strength in those wings. But the poor little thing was born in captivity and he doesn't know there's no telling how far he could fly. As I don't want him to know that, I'll keep him in a cage. What do I do? Do I encourage him? I do not. I pat him on the head and say sweet things to make him forget. He's a handsome ornament and I don't want him to be anything else."

"And that's exactly the treatment men have been giving women for ages. Women have been born in captivity so long they've forgotten their own power and most of the time are afraid to try the spread of the wings. It's so easy to follow the lead of 'best resistance.' It's so easy to be dependent on a man and comfortable in his shadow!"

"When women become restless and learn to try their wings, men do them exactly what I just did to the bird. They put them in a cage and say sweet things to make them forget. They want women to test the strength of their wings. And so men will never give women economic independence."

"They'll have to get it for the living."

"Yes, it's no use minding words. Women are afraid!" continued Miss Hurst musingly. "They are creatures who have been brought up in the darkness to sudden light. They're afraid of their own shadow. They were the worst opponents of suffrage, and they are the worst enemies of economic freedom. They will become reconciled to a dependent woman before women will make this prediction because they have never learned to feel as men do—logically and personally. The slaves didn't want freedom. But do they want slavery now?"

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